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# **CANTON STILL NOT** CAPTURED.

KWANGSI FORCES NEAR THE CITY.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR SAFETY OF FOREIGNERS.

# TRANSPORTS ON WAY

Canton, May 20.

near, is an undoubted fact, and among the creditor nations. yet up to the moment no signs of of Canton are visible.

city, was in the hands of the Kwangsi troops, but your corresthis untrue. Again it was of both parties in the two houses China, will keep out of the dispute. rumoured ... that 2,000 Kwangsi of Congress regarding the report troops had been disarmed by a which is expected from the Re-Fatshan, but this has not been Paris. confirmed.

greater feeling of uneasiness in the possibility is envisaged of a expressed dissatisfaction with the city to-day than has been the reduction of claims for arrears on Yen's policy. case during the past week or so. account of the American Occupa-The Kwangsi troops are expected | tion expense, amounting to G\$30,to arrive at any time and it is 000,000, and corresponding in its a matter for wonder that they are percentage of ten per cent, to siminot yet here.

## Safety of Foreigners.

Certain precautionary measures have been taken to safeguard foreigners, and the British Consul-General has issued a notification requesting British subjects not to go into the city or out to Tungshan for the present.

Arrangements have also been made regarding the foreigners living in Tungshan. For the present, they are remaining there, but at the first sign of trouble they have instructions to concentrate in the railway compound, and a gunboat will be sent down, to Tungshan to bring them up to Shameen.

HM.S. Moth is in Wuchow, whilst H.M.S. Cicala is in Samshui. There are no more convoys beyond of the tragedy was only made some Samshui for merchant vessels for the present.

H.M.S. Tarantula, Moorhen and the facts are these. Seamew are lying off Shameen.

Sainam Captured; \

On the Canton-Hankow Railway, then retired to their cabin. the main body of the Kwangsi

As far as is known, there has been practically no fighting during the day, and even yesterday the Kwangsi troops walked into Samshui without a fight,

General Chan Chai-tong is still in Canton and appears to be actively directing his troops, though there is said to be a good deal of dissaffection amongst the master key. soldiers.

succession of launches and junks they preferred death. from 2 o'clock until nightfall, It appears they had jumped out

# Communist, Coup?

Though all seems fairly quiet in the city, it is nevertheless true that there is a strong undercurrent

of uneasiness. It is said that . there are once again a large number of Communists in the city who are only waiting their opportunity to endeavour to bring off another coup; and it is said that they have large ammunition in hiding. This authorising the re-opening of the should perhaps not be taken too Universities, which were closed by

founded. laid in the West River by Can- and the closing of the military applies to that part of the Pekingtonese gunboats, now turn out to academies, thus throwing a large Hankow Railway which is in the have been laid against the Can- number of cadets into civil life. hands of Nanking. ttonese gunboats by the Kwangsi Navy: they are near Chicken Basket Island, about ten miles "the revolt of youth" with the pos- where a large part of his army has widow and only child, as well as he unvalled the Edinburgh Gladbelow Wuchow-Our, Own Correspondent.

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# ABLE TO SMILE.

NEW HOPE OF REPARATIONS AGREEMENT.

# AMERICAN GESTURE.

Paris, May 20. The anxious deliberations of the Committee of Experts on Reparations are believed to be bearing fruit. The Experts to-day emerged from the longest sitting of the conference tired but

It is believed that they have Many and varied rumours have practically reached an agreement been circulating in Canton to-day. regarding the German reservations That the Kwangsi troops are very and the distribution of reparations

Simultaneously, the American fighting in the immediate vicinity Embassy has announced that the General, according to reports United States, Government is ready At one time this morning it was and willing to reduce the Amerirumoured that the Wong Sha can claim for Army of Occupation Arsenal, only five miles from the expenses by ten per cent .- Reuter.

.Washington, May 20. President Hoover has conferred pondent has good reason to believe with the Cabinet and the leaders larger Cantonese Army just near parations. Experts' Committee in development in the situation, and

The Herold-Tribune says that President Hoover is hoping to The news has come as a surprise Certainly there is a much smooth the way to a settlement and as, for some time past, Feng has lar British and French sacrifices,-Reuter's American Service.

# LOVE TRAGEDY ON "TAISHAN."

YOUNG COUPLE PREFER DEATH TO LIVING APART.

# DOUBLE SUICIDE.

Canton, May 20.

On arriving in port this morning from Hongkong the s.s. Taishan reported a double suicide on the way up. Actually the discovery hour and a half after the vesse had berthed in Canton. Briefly

A young Chinese couple arrived on board in Hongkong on Sunday evening. They took a cabin de Sainam is definitely in the hands luxe, ordered a good supper with of the Kwangsi troops, who are champagne and appeared to be expected to enter Fatshan, on the quite cheerful. They remained in Canton-Samshui Railway to-day, the saloen until about 1 a.m. and

The versel berthed in Canton Army, together with General Hsu at 6.30 this morning as usual; and King-tong's troops, are reported when one of the "boys" knocked his native province of Shansi. to be within fifteen miles of the on the Moor to enquire for orders he received no reply.

> No notice was taken of this at the time, but when at 8 o'clock there were still no signs of the young couple emerging from their cabin and again no reply was obtained when the "boy" knocked, the latter called the purser who then opened the door with his

The cabin was found to be Large numbers of troops were empty, but a letter was discovered Shansi army of a group of young observed all Sunday afternoon saying that as they were not passing Shameen in a regular allowed to marry by their parents, Chen, Yen's chief lieutenant, who

making for the Wong Sha Railway of the cabin window whilst the shan is not satisfied with the Station, where they entrained ship was under way .- Our Own Cor- promises of Chiang Kai-shek in rerespondent.

#### SPANISH STUDENT DISCONTENT.

UNIVERSITIES.

Barcelona, May 20. seriously, as such reports have General Primo de Rivera in March | On account of the extensive

The mines reported to have been in different parts of the country ordinary traffic, and the same

# FENG YU-HSIANG'S FIRST BLOW.

SETBACK FOR CHIANG

STAY NEUTRAL.

# FFENSIVE PLANNING.

Shanghai, May 20. blood--a triumph-in the conflict between state that Feng has come to an gathering. understanding with Marshal Yen

leader, the controller of North This is the first really startling

Yen Hsi-shan has always been regarded as a keen supporter of the Central Government, and it is not known how greatly he has been influenced in his decision by the reported threat of Feng to launch dis first attack. In the direction of Shanel in the event of Yen's failure to announce his neutrality.

It is learned that a delegate from the Christian General has been in conference with Marshall Yen Hsi-shan for several days past, urging the Shansi leader to combine with Feng against Chiang Kai-shek, or in any event, to leave the two military chiefs to fight out

It is understood that a satisfactory arrangement has been contrived, though it is not definite whether Yen. intends to emerge on Feng's side, or merely to hold

which is certain to commence very shortly. It is believed that the arrangement amounts to a peace pact, the Christian General having promised, in the event of war, with Chiang, to leave Yen | -Our Own Correspondent. Hsi-shan's territory inviolate. This is believed to have satisfied Yen's desire to preserve peace in

Confirmation of Yen Hsi-shan's neutrality has been received from MR. PAT LANIGAN SUCCUMBS Nanking sources, and it is understood that the new position is

Yen Hsi-shan's fear. that Feng of Revenue Officer Patrick Laniwould attack Shansi first in the gan, the news of which will come event of war with Chinng Kai- as a great shock to a large circle shek, and to the presence in the of friends officials, headed by General Sheng be in his usual good health until are pro-Feng in their views.

Chiang, Yen and Chang Hsuchllang against Feng Yu-haiang.

# Chiang's Activities.

preparing his campaign hurriedly. appointed a constable in 1912, and Sixty thousand Nanking troops are three years later he became acting KING ORDERS RE-OPENING OF to move against Honan from Lance Sergeant. In 1916, he be-Hupch, and they will be reinforced came a Revenue Officer, and from by 7,000 Nanking troops at Ichang July, 1918, to March, 1919, he was and 20,000 in Shansi. Approxi- seconded for military service, later mately 60,000 other forces are returning to duty in the Revenue

many times proved to be quite un- as the result of the student riots, troops movements, the Tientsin-

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# LABOUR UNREST IN DEATH OF EARL OF SHANGHAI.

TROUBLE EXPECTED ON MAY 30 ANNIVERSARY.

# COMMUNISTS ACTIVE.

Shanghai, May 21. The authorities are this year more than usually concerned by the approach of the May 80 Anniversary, apart altogether from the expected demonstrations by the Labour Unions,

Recent Labour meetings have revealed disaffection among the diplomatic workers of unusual strength, and it is believed that the trouble is being inspired by Committee agitators.

The authorities anticipate strikes and possible disturbances round about May 30th as the outgrowth of the murmurings at the Labour

The postal workers are known to be discussing new demands and Hai-hean, by which the Shansi to be contemplating a strike,

# RUMOURS REGARDING LI CHAI-SUM.

Again Reported to Have Been Executed.

# LATEST CANTON REPORTS.

Since Marshal Li Chai-sum was placed under arrest in Nanking some two months ago, there have been numerous rumours regarding his fate. His reported execution has on

several occasions been denied. Our Canton correspondent, writing under date of yesterday, says there are again persistent rumours that Marshal Li has been quietly done away with in Nanking.

At the moment, however, there is no confirmation of these rumours.

courage from the fact that an at- the fact remains that the richest tempt by Communists to create heiress in the land and the future occasion of China's national humiliation day proved absortive.

# REVENUE OFFICER'S SUDDEN DEATH.

AFTER COLLAPSE.

It is with the utmost regret The situation is attributed to that we have to chronicle the death

> The deceased officer appeared to Gladstone at 10 Downing Street. Aussem defeated yesterday afternoon when he collapsed at his home, No. 4, Cox's Path, Kowloon, from an apoplectic stroke. His condition rapidly be Derby. It is questionable came serious and he was removed whether, in all the varied and at 11 o'clock this morning.

service of the Government for into the suddling enclosure. more than 16 years. He was first Meanwhile, Chiang Kni-shek is attached to the Police Force, being in charge of preventive work in connexion with tobacco.

He was a conscientious and effi- that great fight will live long, and Since March there has been Feng Yu-hslang is reported to ly regretted by all his colleagues, ed from the reminiscent way in (G\$11,000,000,000) less than that supervision was kept, and who Much sympathy will felt for the which he told of the victory when Inspector Richard Lanigan.

ment at 5.80 p.m. to-day.

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# ATTACKED. ROSEBERY.

FAMOUS POLITICIAN AND SPORTSMAN.

PASSES AWAY AT 82 AFTER SUDDEN ILLNESS.

# BRILLIANT

former Liberal Premier, who cele- were badly man-handled by a mob brated his 82nd birthday a fort- instigated by the employees of a night ago, passed away in the early hours of this morning.

Reuter reported last night that the late Earl was gravely ill, and this morning came news that the famous politician and sportsman was sinking fast. The news of his death, therefore, comes as no sur-

prise. youthful "fag" at Eton laughingly prophesied to one of his school chums that he would become Prime Minister, win the Derby and marry the richest heiresa the land.

This was the youth who later became Lord Rosebery, and who lived to see the accomplishment of his threefold ambition. One was achieved when, in 1874,

he married Miss Hannah Roths receiving similar treatment. child, the only daughter of Baron Meyer de Rothschild, and heiress! to £2.500.000.

a delightful romance. When the ceived severe bruises and shock. noble earl was out driving one day his carriage collided with that of Miss Rothschild, who was then unknown to him. . The contact stunned the handsome, dark-eyed! Jewess, and she would have been thrown to the ground had not Lord Rosebery, with great agility and presence of mind, sprung forward and caught the girl as she There and then began the love story which culminated at the

# Married in a Workhouse.

The marriage took place on March 20, 1878, when two distinct while the workers at the Japanese | ceremonies marked the happy cotton mills are similarly restless. function. The civil ceremony was tests on the concluding day of the This Labour activity is the ex- | held in the Board Room of the pected means of marking the ap- Mount Street Workhouse, by the seldom before has the unrest seem- George's, Hanover Square, London, a drab place for such an event. The police are still hoping that | Certainly, care was taken to General belief in that Yen Hsi- the anniversary will pass by with- brighten up the Board Room a

> were married in a workhouse, Following this the religious ceremony was conducted Christ's Church, Mayfair, where a brilliant gathering had assembled.

then Prince of Wales, and the Duke of Cambridge. Their married life was very happy. In his wife Lord Rosebery found a real friend, who encouraged him in his difficulties, and spurred him on to make those efforts which were crowned when Minister.

This took place in March 1894 6-1, 6-1. when, after 23 years of Parlia-

That same year saw the con- (France) and Miss Heine, in the summer Ladas carried the 6-4, 6-2,-Reuter. Rosebery colours to victory in the to the G.C.H. where he passed away successful career of the Earl, there were many prouder momenta The late Mr. Lanigan, who was than this, when, at the finish, he 37 years of age, had been in the personally led his victorious horse

# Premier for Fifteen Months.

Although he fulfilled his ambition and became Prime Minister, Lord Rosebery did not hold the post for long, dissensions and jonlousies, wrecking the Cabinet after fifteen months.

himself into prominence.

Revenue Officer Lanigan will be was the memorable Midlothian State Commerce Commission's The trouble followed the revolts Pukow Railway has been closed to long remembered by his numerous campaign, in which his name is valuation of American railroad profriends both for his sterling char- indissolubly associated with that perty for the purposes of fixing that the ordering, handling charge actor and his genial personality. of Mr. Gladstone. The story of passengers and freight rates. cient officer and his death is great- lapse of 38 years, may be gather- approximately eleven billion dollars on whom no proper care, check or.

# BRITISH SKIPPER

MOB DRAGS HIM ALONG BY HIS FEET.

# YANGTSZE FRACAS.

Hankow, May 11. Details are to hand of a serious occurance which took place at Pukow on Wednesday last, in the course of which the master of the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company's steamer "Hsin" Kong, Captain E. Hanson, together .The Earl of Rosebery, K.G., K.T., with members of the Chinese crew, lighter company at Pukow.

It appears that the Hein Kong poration for recrediting was leaving the wharf at Pukow \$260,000, the amount involved in on a trip to Shanghai, when in the Yeo frauds, will commence manoeuvring, the vessel's rudder to-morrow morning. came into contact with some cargo

Captain Hanson immediately rewhen he was, together with the boatswain and the lamptrimmer of his vessel, set upon by a mob of coolies who had been incited by the beatmen attached to the cargo

The mob dragged Captain Hanson over the ground by his feet from his ship up to the pontoon, the boatswain and lamptrimmer

Eventually, the River Police intervened and rescued Captain estoppel thereby introduced. Hanson and his men from the mob Their meeting and wedding was but not before the latter had re-

# ROTWEISS TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

FOREIGN SUCCESSES IN THE CHIEF FINALS.

# MISS AUSSEM BEATEN.

Berlin, May 20. There were some exciting coninternational tennis tournament the risk of injury arising from proach of the anniversary, but superintendent registrar of St. at the Rotweiss Club. Among the forgery committed upon cheques large number of spectators was the former Crown Prince.

In the final of the Women's hitherto been regarded as the

the guests including King Edward, outstanding German lady player. player, put up a great exhibition and cheque-books, against Henri Cochet (France) in the final of the Men's Singles. The first set was fought at a great pace, and the Czecho-Slovakian

In the final of the Mixed mentary life, he succeeded Mr. Doubles, Cochet and Fraulein summation of his triple event, for South African lady champion, by

# AMERICAN RAILWAY PROPERTIES.

VALUATIONS DIFFER BY MERE . G\$11,000,000,000.

New York, May 20.

Wall Street as a bullish development and of profound importance it is stated that the Government He entered public life in 1871 in the history of American railways; gave no information of these and rapidly proceeded to bring has been given by the Supreme happenings to the Bank until

His outstanding political move The Court rejected the Inter-

.The Commission's valuations were books was entrusted to servants

The stocks and shares of dozens ling the occurrence. of railway companies were quickly Implied terms of the contract American Service.

# LEGAL ARGUMENT IN BANK CASE.

RESULT OF TREASURY "NEGLIGENCE."

STOPPED FROM ALLEGING THE FORGERIES.

# HEARING TO-MORROW.

Enquiries this morning reveal that the argument on the legal issues in the action brought by the Government against the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-

The two main issues in the case were whether three cheques to More than sixty years ago a moored his vessel in order to were paid by the Bank and debited ascertain the extent of the damage, to the Government general account were forgeries, and whother the Government was estopped from alleging forgery by reason of negligence, this latter being a contention of the defence.

The first part of the civil action concluded on Friday when the special jury found the cheques to be forgeries, and grave negligence on the part of Treasury officials. Counsel concerned have now to argue the legal question of

Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., together with Mr. Sheldon, instructed by Mr. T. M. Hozlerigg, assistant. Crown Solicitor, is for the Government, while Mr. F. C. Jenkin, instructed by Mr. D. J. Lowis, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and

#### Master, is defending. Defence's Pleas.

The statement of defence, bearing on the points to be argued, states that the Government is estopped - from alleging cheques to be forged and from alleging that the Bank wrongfully debited the amounts to the account

of the Government. It was the duty of the Government, continues the statement, to take reasonable care and precaution to safeguard the Bank against issued by them to the Government. In particular it was the duty of the Government, with reasonable despatch, to warn the Bank of any occurrence of an unusual, girregular or suspicious title of champion of Berlin, character relating to cheques. disturbances on May 11th on the Prime Minister of Great Britain Baroness Von Reznecik gained a and/or cheque-books, and of any splendid victory over Fraulein reason why any cheques, if presented for payment, should not be Aussem, winning in straight sets, treated as a mandates of the 7-5, 6-8. Fraulein Aussem has Government; to appoint and maintain competent and dutiful servants for the purpose of ordering, handling, taking charge of and Menzel, the Czecho-Slovakian supervising the use of cheques

# Government Negligence.

The Bank alleges that the won after 20 games by 11-9. He Government negligently failed to he realised another of his great failed to stay the distance, how- take such reasonable care and preambitions and became Prime ever, and Cochet took the second caution and negligently failed to set at 6-3, and the next two at perform such duties whereby the Bank, to their projudice, were not safeguarded against the risk of injury arising from the perpetration of forgery committed upon cheques issued by them to the Government, and were, therefore, misled into the belief that the cheques in question had been regularly drawn and issued by the Government and were induced to honour and pay them as being

The statement then goes on to give particulars of the negligence alleged, this being with regard to the alteration on one of the cheque-book covers and the extraction of 30 cheques and counterfoils, matters which were to the fore in the civil action. This A decision which is hailed in is described as having been done "wrongfully and fraudulently" and

# Implied Terms of Contract.

The statement goes on to say and supervision of the chequenegligently abstained from report-

Following the Midothian fight bid up on the Stock Exchange from between the Government and the The funeral passes the Monu- he took office as Under Secretary one to fifteen dollars,-Reuter's Bank were (1) that no such (Continued on Page 21)

growing discontent, epitomised as have left Tungkwan for Loyang sibility of an appeal by the intel- been concentrated, General Sun for deceased's brother, Police stone Memorial in 1917. lectuals to the League of Nations. Liang-sing is to be entrusted with

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# KAI-SHEK.

# YEN HSI-SHAN INDUCED TO

Feng Yu-haiang and Chiang Kaishek has gone to the Christian from reliable sources, which

of the greatest importance.

Feng's Reported Threat.

# their battle between themselves.

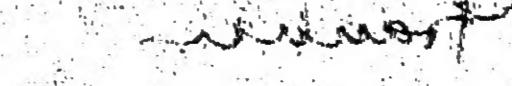
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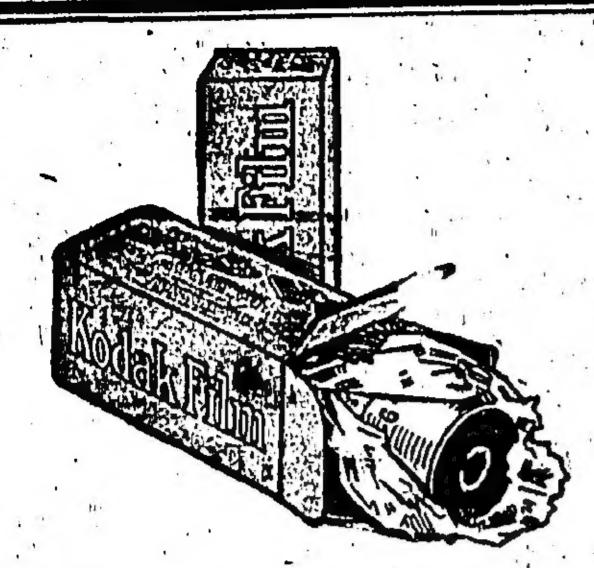
shan will keep out of the fighting, out untoward incident, taking little with palms and flowers, but Singles, which carried with it the

Nanking Admission?

officially, admitted.

'It is also said that Yen Heiturn for an alliance between





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# KIDNAPPING PENALTY. NOT TO THROW STONES

#### DEATH SENTENCE DEMANDED MAGISTRATE AND HONGKONG DANGER OF WANDERING ON IN SHANGHAL

demnation of kidnappers, in the Provisional Court at Shanghai. Mr. Kum's remarks were drawn at the close of the trial of h soldier on a charge of being concerned in the abduction for Corporal Shoddeck and Lance ing. ransom of the son of Mr. Chun Corporal Rosseter, both of the The defendants admitted the Bing-him, the compradore of A. Somerset Light Infantry, that charges and pleaded that they chairman of the conference. On while they were on Garrison were unaware of the regulations behalf of the National Complements, including a female, were chairman of the National Complements, including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female, were charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including a female charges are charges and pleaded that they chairman of the National Complements including the public from crossothers, including a female, were Street they saw the defendant ing the lines. the tenants of 606 East Yuhang arrested. Road where the victim was held a Neither of the military men under the structure, if they were of some of the vital problems and outcaptive while the gang demanded could give any reason for the sufficiently small build, or climb standing issues confronting the

Judge Hsiung and Mr. S. L. Burdett, Senior Consul's Deputy, who said that he was employed as be brought before the Court on listened to the plen of the soldier who related how he had become The defendant, said the witness, spot. an unwitting tool of an ex-army officer who was the master-mind tion of the gang. The complainant's counsel, Mr. S. C. Yang, associated himself with his client in asking for the acquittal of the soldier, asserting that he had helped the victim to escape. Mr. fore its consummation.

## Describes Police Attitude.

posed the application for judicial at all, clemency for the soldier. In condemning kidnappers and their methods he said: "The attitude of the Police towards kidnappers is well-known to this court. For kidnappers whose guilt have been proved, no punishment is too

out the horrible crime designated a common occurrence in kidnapping for ransom. Members of the Police force have on many occasions lost their lives in arresting kidnappers and rescuing their victims.

court the Police are powerless to defendant, however, that he was to check the increasing crime wave. understand he was not allowed to I submit that it is the duty of the throw stones at all. court to uphold the kidnapping law in letter and in spirit, thus charged has already been proven was in the hope of winning to the hilt. On behalf of the liberal reward for himself. Pripolice I have to ask the court to soner was also described as a sentence him to death."

# Pistols and Steel Vests.

Dwelling on the part which the prisoner played in effecting the

victim's escape, Mr. Kum added: the tacit consent of the accused tang, was kidnapped while on his passing the Shamshuipo Police who was promised a liberal re- way from his home in Seymour Station, and the land was private ward. The same day he went to Road to his school in Chinese property. Instead of keeping to SANITARY COOLIE WOUNDED the complainant's office at 2 territory. At the time the boy the main road the Chinese wandered Canton Rosa for the purpose of was accompanied by his sister into Hankow Barracks, which were cashing his reward but the com- and was riding in his father's at present unoccupied. plainants lather informed the motor car. Police and he was arrested.

with pist its and steel vests and man intimidated the chauffeur the which was stored there. could not therefore to said to be other opened the door of the car mere tools of the gang. Every and seized the boy, pulling him dered it was not suggested that kidnapper, whether a principal, from the vehicle. instigator or abettor, when tried and convicted, should be sentenced to death regardless of his success or failure in the attempt the excitement. Employees of the military in the near future. "at kidnapping."

gang-leader of unswerving loyalty chauffeur to alight; hastily drove been thefts from the Hankow to the gang and this was disclosed off. The boy's father, was over- Barracks. to the victim when the latter first come with the news and is con- His Worship fined each defenasked him to help him escape. It fined to his bed. -

# CLUB EMPLOYEE.

that it was the defendant who bamboo poles. threw the stone.

a coolie at the Hongkong Club. charges of trespassing at th was a barber at the same institu-

seen him in the barber shop. (To been no reason for it: defendant) Have you seen me

Yang argued that under the was not a barber but only the was constructed for two reasons. Chinese Criminal Code a partici- barber's assistant. He was The first was because quite t pant in a crime may be dealt with engaged to carry things for the number of people had been boardleniently if he withdraws from barbers. He said that so many ing the trains without tickets, the commission of an offence be- people patronised the shop that he utilising this particular spot for could not recollect having seen gaining admission to the platform. his Worship before.

In summing-up, Mr. Kum op- not have any effect, on the case

In reply to his Worship the witness said that his hours were from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., while the defendant worked from 7 a.m. to

Sub-Inspector Fender said that it. was not suggested that the defendant had thrown the stone The Nanking Government pas- at the military police. It. was sed the new kidnapping law with believed he had been throwing the avowed purpose of stamping stones into brothels, which was

Taking into consideration that the stone was, according to the evidence of the military police, a small one, his Worship imposed a Without the co-operation of this fine of \$5. He pointed out to the

traitor to his gang.

for judgment.

# Abducted Near School.

"The complainant escaped with prominent member of the Kuomin- each side of the main road after

The accused, Mr. Kum pointed in the direction of the car but the Sergeant Nichols of the Somerset

# TRESPASSING.

# TRAIN TRACK

Declaring that for kidnappers whose guilt have been proved no punishment is too sovere, the Assistant Police Advocate, Mr. King S. Kum, launched a sweeping conwas described by the Police as a week-ond eight Chinese were clies represented at the opening construction of the Police as a week-ond eight Chinese were clies represented at the opening construction of the Police as a week-ond eight Chinese were clies represented at the opening construction of the Police as a week-ond eight Chinese were clies represented at the opening construction of the Police as a week-ond eight Chinese were clies represented at the opening construction. house "boy," was charged with arrested walking along the per- session included Amoy, Chengtu, throwing stones at a military manent way at the Yaumati Rail- Chungking, Hangchow, Hongkong, picket in Temple Street on Satur- way Station. They were all produced before Mr. T. S. Whyte Peking, Shanghai, Soochow, Tient-The defendant denied the charge Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy sin, Tsingtao and Wulfu. but evidence was given by Lance yesterday on charges of trespass. Mr. S. G. Chu, manage

skielding kidnappers. They were The accused was chased and Worship that there was a gate of the conference as being one of and the men had either to crawl "discussing and atudying together \$200,000 ransom from his rela- incident but both were positive over the top with the aid of Y.M.C.A. movement in China."

> The defendants, continued In-The defendant called a witness spector Stimson, were the first to

dants that the gate would not His Worship: I have never have been erected if there had

Mr. F. Winyard, who represented the Kowloon-Canton Railway, The defendant replied that he told his Worship that the gate The second was because of the His Worship remarked that did danger to the drivers of the trains whose nerves were upset by the presence of people wandering about on the tracks.

> asked the Police to arrest the defendants as an 'example

His Worship said that he did not want to send the defendants, some of whom were arrested on-Saturday, to prison, as it was the first cases to be brought to Court. In cautioning the defendants, his Worship reminded them of a recent accident when someone had been killed on the train tracks.

# HANKOW BARRACKS.

#### TRESPASSERS PROSECUTED AT KOWLOON.

When asked by his Worship if

there was any possibility of a The prisoners were remanded person losing his way, Sergeant Jessop of the Police Force replied to the present generation. that there was none whatever. He pointed out that the Hankow . The son of Mr. Hau Zoong-chi, and Nanking Barracks were on

the accused and his accomplices who produced pistols and forced sentries to guard the Hankow

His Worship said that he wonthe Barracks be enclosed by a The sister, Hau Sih-wei, 16 fence. Sergeant Jessop replied years of age, managed to jump that he thought it was possible the from the car and escape during site would be vacated by the

school noted the incident and ran In reply to his Worship, Provost in the thigh.

Courtesy of the Air

# Y.M.C.A. CONFERENCE.

#### DR. JOHN R. MOTT SPEAKS ON ENADERSHIP.

Mr. S. G. Chu, manager of the China Travel service and chairman of the National committee of Y.M.C.A.'s of China, was elected of welcome to the delegates and charged with harbouring and throw a small stone at them. Inspector Stimson, informed his briefly explained the primal purpose

# Main Topics.

Following this Dr. Davis Z. T. Yui, general secretary of the National Committee was called upon to introduce the main topics to be discussed during the three days of It was pointed out to the defen- conference. These topics are:

The future of the Y.M.C.A. in Relation to National Reconstruc-

The greater issues confronting the Y.M.C.A., which include issues of programme and leadership.

The next building programme. Co-operation with and from Associations abroad, especially the North American Associations. The future of the student work

of the Y.M.C.A. In introducing these topics Dr. Yui did not fail to keep before the mind of his nudience the dominant iden that the Y.M.C.A. Movement in China should not be satisfied with what it has already achieved The railway authorities had in the life of the nation but what It is able to do as a nation-building force and how it can make the best and fullest use of the unprecedentel opportunities facing the Y.M.C.A. in China at this time, a time when all aspects of her national life are undergoing tremendous and profound changes.

# Principal Address."

Dr. John R. Mott, whose pre-sence in Shanghai furnished the occasion for calling together this EST special conference, delivered the principal address on the subject of "Present-day leadership required in the Y.M.C.A."

Commencing his address by pointing out the great opportuni- HAIR WAVING IN THE COLONY ties as well as the challenging problems confronting the Y.M.C.A. movement in China to-day. Dr. Two Chinese were charged Mott asserted that the leadership helping the Police, to terminate was the accused who had forced before Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith at needed to successfully meet these the veritable reign of terror set the complainant to write home for the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday opportunities, and problems is a by kidnappers. The offence with the ransom and his design in with trespassing at the Hankow leadership that is comprehending, which the present accused is finally aiding the victim to escape Barracks, Shamshuipo. The de-creative, statesmanlike and heroic. fendants admitted the charges and It is through a leadership of this stated that they had lost their way. kind, Dr. Mott concluded can the Y.M.C.A. in China and all the world ever hope to catch the imagination of their youth of to-day and to be of the greatest service

# RECENT SHOOTING.

# · BY HIGHWAYMEN.

As a sequel to the recent shoot-Near the school gate the car were stationed in the Nanking Bridge where a Sanitary coolie CLOVER FLOWER SHOP Mr. Kum further stated that was surrounded by several men Barracks but they provided was wounded by two highway- ICE HOUSE ST. men, a shop foki, who was were provided by the gang-leader the driver, to stop. While one Barracks on account of property arrested in connexion with the affair, appeared before Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

The defendant was charged with assaulting the complainant with intent to rob and with unlawfully wounding the coolie, who RQUIPMENT. was shot in the neck, and not, as stated in the first Police report,

Detective Inspector Fallon is out, had taken an oath with the kidnappers, after; forcing the Light Infantry, said that there had conducting the case for the Crown and applied for a short adjourn-

> The defendant was accordingly remanded till to-morrow.

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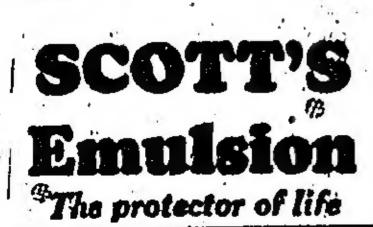
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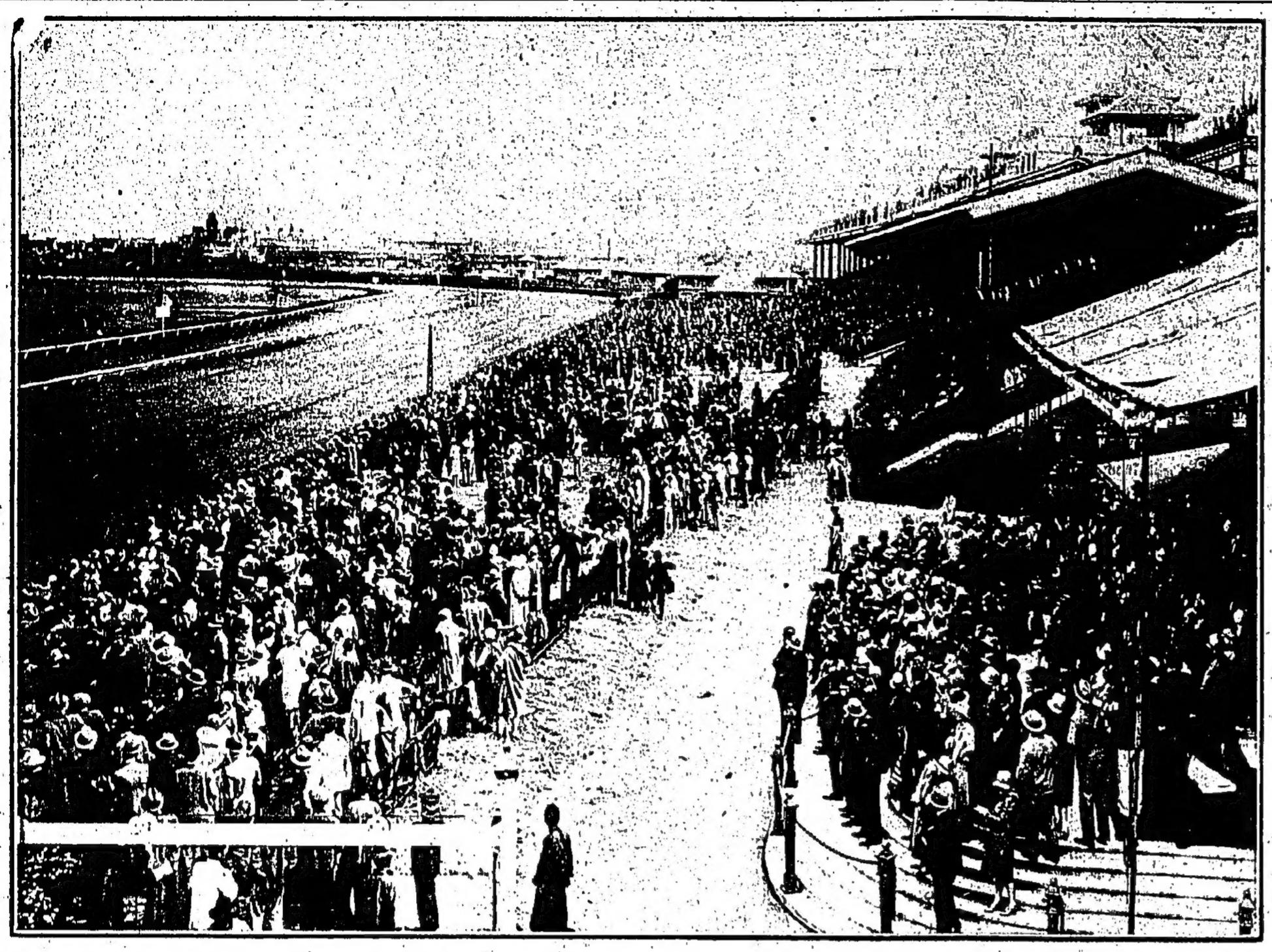








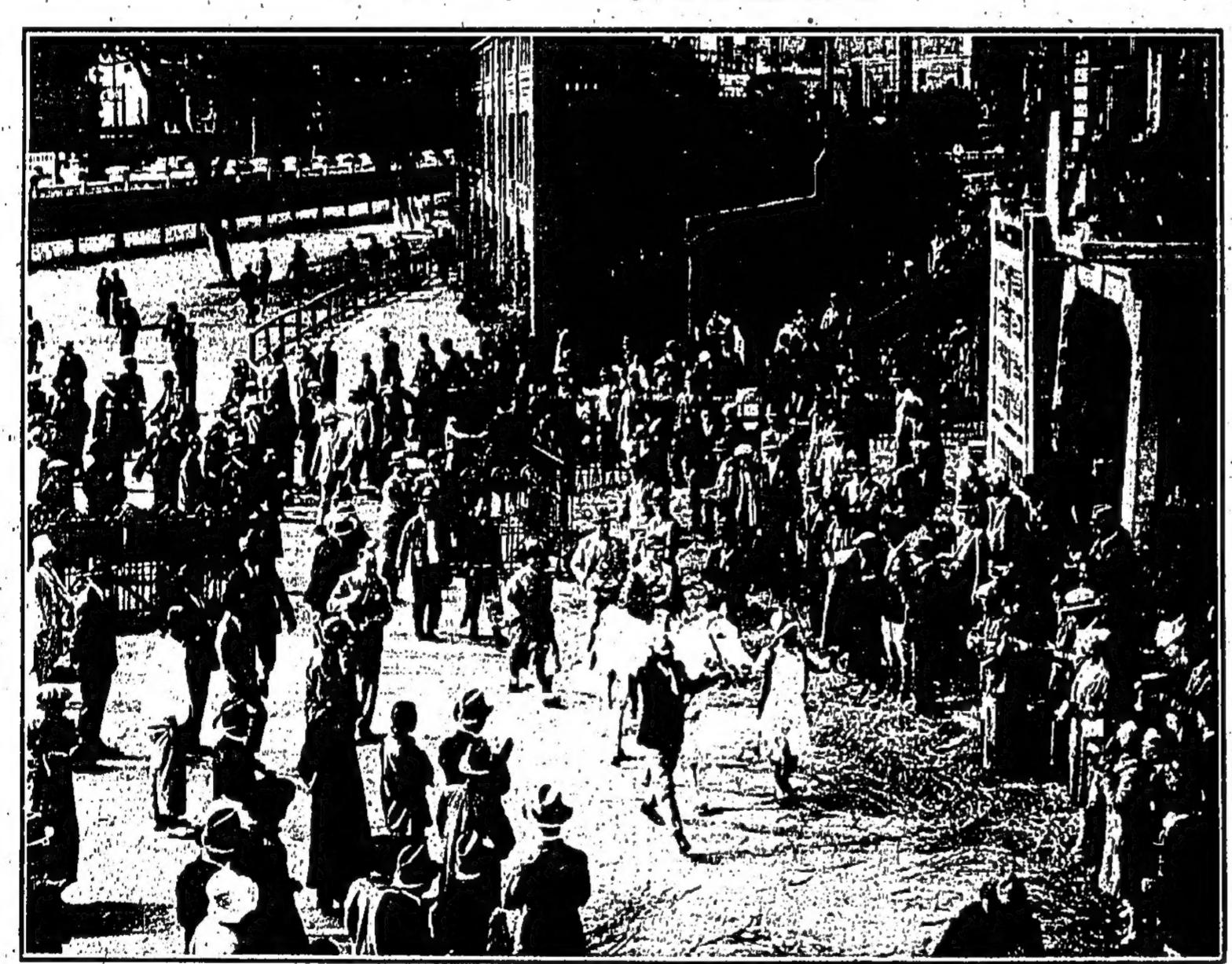




A spendid panorama of the crowd that gathered at the Shanghai Race Club last week to witness the running of the Spring Champions. The field of six in Shanghai's semi-annual "classic of the classics" can be seen coming down the straight after the last turn of the mile and a quarter race. Pat the winner who provided a complete surprise by beating Wheatcroft, the favourite, is in the lead. Pat led the field from start to finish, staving off a challenge made by the favourite as the field was rounding the turn into the straight on the home stretch.



automatic fire escape of which much has been heard in Hongkong since the hotel disaster.



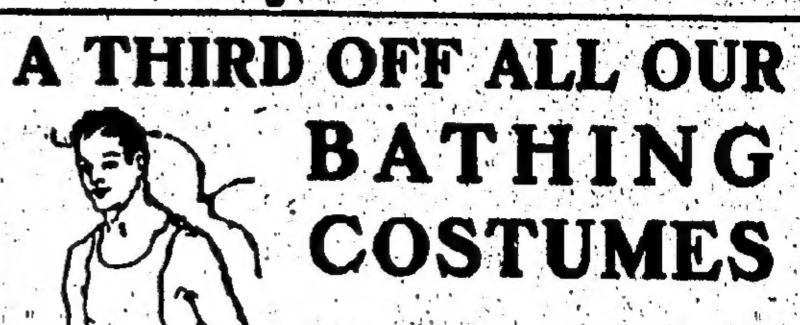
Mr. and Mrs. A. V. White, owners of Pat, the winner of the Shanghai Spring Champions, are shown leading in the pony who upset the prophets by beating Wheateroft, the favourite, in the classic race run on Wednesday. H. Collaco, the winning jockey, the owners and Pat were enthusiastically applauded as they paraded before the stands after the race had finished.



Group taken after the wedding at the Riviera Hotel, Shanghai, of Miss Ki-li of Amoy, and Dr. W. S. Chang, vice-president of Amoy-University.



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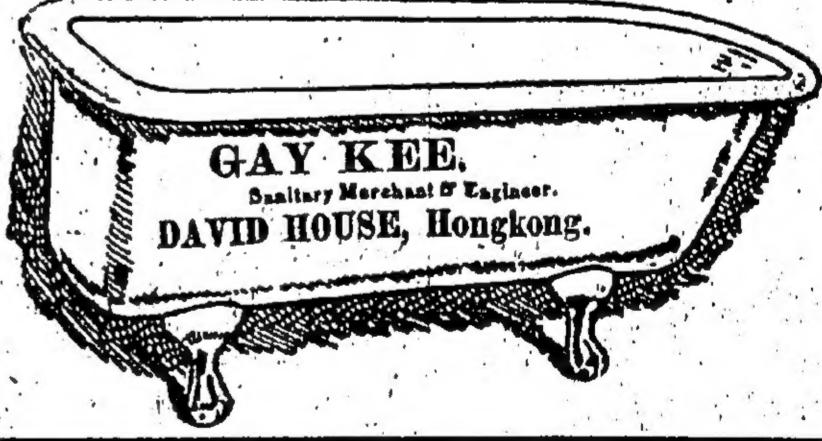
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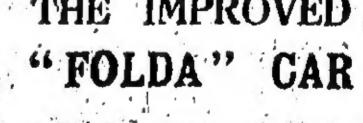


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# CONSIGNEES' NOTICES. SERVICES CONTRACTUELS DES

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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Colonial Treasurer. Hongkong, 21st May, 1929.

. V. R. C.

The Annual general meeting of The Victoria Recreation Club Scrap Iron, Sulphate of Ammonia, will take place at the V.R.C. at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, 22nd May,

> C. J. COOKE, Hon. Secretary, V.R.C.

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THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 6th May to 24th May, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board, PAUL LAUDER, General Manager. Hongkong, 1st May, 1929.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD. (Incorporated in Hongkong.)

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BRITISH TRADERS' INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, LTD.

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PAUL LAUDER, General Manager. Hongkong, 1st May, 1929.

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The Share Register and Trans-THE TRANSFER BOOKS of fer Books will be closed from the the Company will be CLOSED 9th to the 23rd May, 1929, both JARDINE MATHESON

- AND CO., LID., General Agenta. Hongkong, 2nd May, 1929.

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referred to in the Court of Appeal road, Shuttlewood, who was inwhen the Master of the Rolls, jured some years ago while work-Lord Hanworth, and Lords Justices Lawrence and Snnkey heard an appeal by employers. from an The Master of the Rolls, giving award of the Sheffield County Court Judge in a compensation case. The Oxcroft Colliery Company, Ltd., of Shuttlewood, near Chesterfield, Derbyshire, objected would be sent back for re-hearto an award of, 7s; 6d. in favour ing.

A man's "two aptitudes" were of Ernest Statham, of Bolsovering for the Oxcroft Colliery. He was given light work, which he left to become steward of a cluh. judgment, said that Statham was a man with two aptitudes, able to do not merely manual work in a mine, but also the skilled work of a steward. The case, he said,

# WOMAN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.

Our Spare Time.

THE PROBLEM OF LEISURE.

According to one speaker at the annual conference of the National pyjama loung-Union of Students at Aberstwyth, ling suit dots its recently, the future of mocracy depends upon right use of leisure, cause work cannot be relied upon now to develop character, and, if leisure does not do so, we are in from Drecolla! danger of sinking into a soulless Boor subtly in-

It is true that the problem of the most profitable use of lessure manner, is much more important now than it was in the past, not only for the reason given above, but also because working hours are so much shorter than they used to be. Two shades of p in k contrast with black sating in this lounging

The difficulty is to determine what is the best way for each individual to use his leisure time, for the problem is an individual void of any one, which each must solve for trimming. They

One finds the most amazing differences in ability to deal one individual, has a genius them. for making every minute of his leisure contribute directly to his own happiness, while another the paler shade gains nothing, spiritually or of pink satin materially, from his spare time.

And the worst of it is that the ming for the latter type becomes worse as his whole suit. -A leisure increases.

He is without a central interest joins both gold or a strong incentive to action of any kind, and until he finds some work serious enough to be worth doing for himself or others he will deteriorate stendily instead of and ouffs that gaining through his leisure.

# Laco and Ribbon. | black, edge it.



Navy-blue lace and navyblue cire ribbon combine to fashion one of the most engaging of modern afternoon tollettes. The ribbon is used to form a collar and a plain narrow panel down the front of the hodice, while loops of it suggest a similar panel on the tiered skirt.

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Mode. Lounging

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Two shades of are lightened considerably by the pink slippers worn with

The coat of whole suit. '-A' deeper pink

and cuffs that extend almost to the 'elbow. Stripes of gold and silver, on The gleaming coat is tailored very smartly, with a simple shawl collar.

Spectacles and

Beauty.

We were discussing the fact that

many girls need the aid of eye-

glasses, but fear to wear them lest

of a girl I know, and I wondered.

found in Scott's novels, or

Shakespeare's alabaster beauties.

speciacled faces

used only for special work

photograph," you will hear people say. Possibly a motionpicture would be more successful, for the essence of this deeper beauty is movement. It is a liveliness of the eyes, an intonation of the voice, a charm of mannor. In fact, it is living

A New Alertness.

their looks be spoiled. The majority favoured this view: that glasse Awareness is its keynote. The spoil a pretty face, and should be girl who has it wants to see, hear, aged 6, and a girl, aged 9, were ter House.

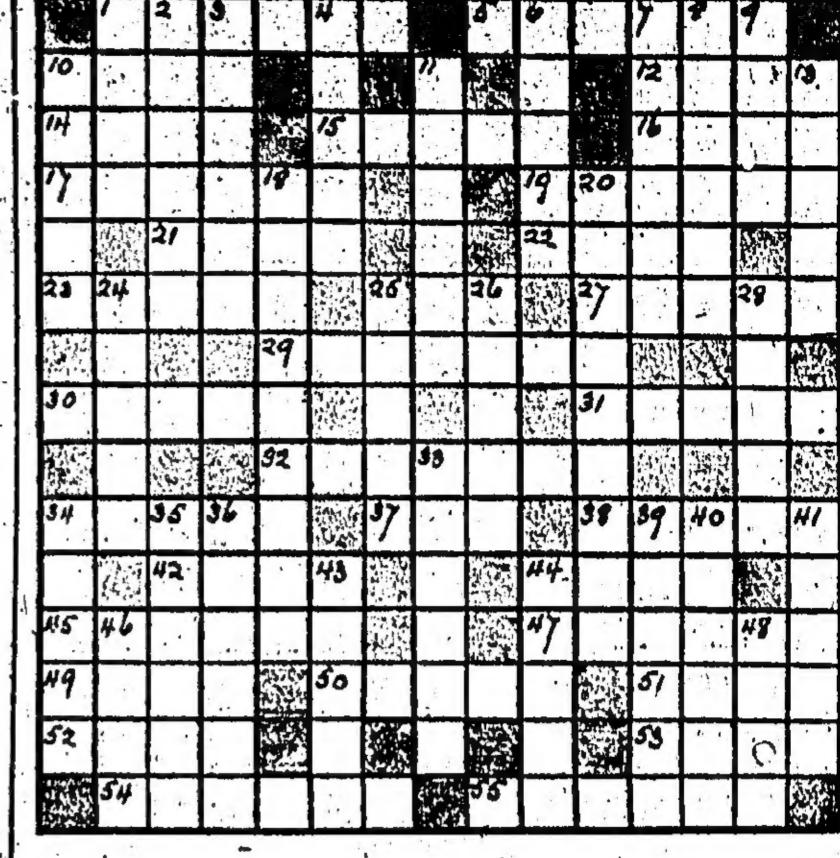
and understand the people around charged with wandering and having . After Mr. Francis Lorang, chairher. Her sympathies must range Then there came to mind the face

upon what is meant by beauty. Is it who makes no use of glasses, is -at one time the doll type, at conscious look. She seems a little another the fresh childlike type, or tired and strained. Her thoughts the dark, high foreheaded type recoil inwards.

But when she is using glasses her face acquires a new alertness. Her interests and sympathy expand disappeared. If by beauty we mean no more than a fashion in features, ther Her oyes become glittering, curious, possibly spectacles will not improve delighted, often mischiovous like the the result; although there is always oyes of children. They catch and the chance that some day the comprehend what might otherwise be mother had spent £100 in six weeks A further resolution expressing fashion will voer round to be missed. The face from which those eyes look is beautiful.

But beauty, to most people, means I fancy there are many like that, then abandoned her children. more than this. It must include to whom opticions can bestow an something that comes from within added joyousness and a beauty This beauty is not easily caught by which is the most permanent of all. the camera. "Bhe never makes a . A. BARTON SMITH .- In Exchange,

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8 Oozed.

18 Will.

24 Angry.

25" Thrend.

9 Body of water.

10 Sort of gold lace.
11 Resounded.
13 Fielded fortification.

20 Shot with a pistol.

1 Mean. 5 Hurricane. 10 Unsoaled. 12 Hindmost. 14 Talk enthusiastically,

15 Mother's brother. 18 Gardening tool. 17 Date again. 10 Fastened with long nails. 21 Gave sparingly. 22 Movement of sea.

23 Factions, 25 Supplied with food, 27 Covered chair. 29 Three pronged spear. 30 Food of the Israelites. 31 Ancient. 32 Warlike.

34 Compact. 37 Consume. 38 Hearkens, 42 Possesses. 44 Inclination. 45 Turn round.

47 Charge carnestly. 49 Gravel. 50 Tears. 51 On.

52 Every. 53 Ceremonial. 54 Glanced archly. 55 Go back.

1 Foretoll. 2 Looked after. 3 Way in for liquid. 6 Search. 7 To please.

26 Recorded debt. 28 About. 33 Ancient weight. 34 Song expressing grief. 35 Observe. 36 Wrap, 39 Harm. 40 Silly. 41 Stage. 48 Be of use to. 44 Cudgel, 46 Verbal. 48 Mere repetition. Yesterday's Solution.

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# MOTHER ABANDONS -CHILDREN.

VANISHES FROM HOTEL IN THE CITY.

London, Apr. 25. the Guildhall Juvenile Court yes- Petrol, Ltd., recently when a statu-terday, when two children, a boy, tory meeting was held at Winches-

no fixed abode. court the officials and the police ed at him, and an uproar started.

For the whole question depends The girl who is short-sighted, but were astonished by their beauty and When silence had been gained the their cleverness. upon what is meant by beauty. Is it who makes no use of glasses, is A police-officer said that at mid-tion was pending, and all noisy armerely a matter of shape, size, and restricting her circle of sympathy. night he saw the two children stand-gument would have no appreciable

bouring hotel for a fortnight, but petition firmly.
had been unable to pay her bill, and Mr. R. J. P. Campbell proposed an was turned out. It seemed that she extraordinary general meeting be then abandoned the children and held in three months time, and this

Glasgow. -her husband being in New York full confidence in the directors was -and was now practically destitute. also carried amidst uproar and ac-

"I am disgusted to think," con- ed at their going to an industrial finued Miss Temple, "that their school, and only wish I was in a relatives, with whom I have been position to take them myself." in communication, will do nothing It was decided to remand for them. I should be broken-heart- children for a week.

UPROAR AT COMPANY MEETING.

BLUE BIRD PETROL CHAIR-MAN "SICK OF IT."

There was an uproar among the A remarkable story was told at shareholders of the Blue Bird

man, had announced the finance of When the children appeared in the company, questions were shout-

chairman said a winding-up peticolouring? If so, beauty has no fixed. This girl I have in mind, when ing hatless and shivering in Ald-effect upon the position. He was quality. It changes with the fashion without her spectacles, has a self-gate Highstreet. He spoke to the absolutely sick of it all. He had little girl, who said, "Mummy has reached a stage that if the matter left us." He found that the mocame to court the directors would ther had been staying at a neigh- not give way and would oppose the

was carried amidst acclamation. Miss Elsa Temple, a welfare "By breaking up the company," the worker, said the children were reproposers said, "we shall get nolated to rich professional thing. Let us give the directors a The chance in the matter."

She lavished money on clothes, and clamation.

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# Hongkong Eelegraph.

TUESDAY MAY 21, 1929

# HUMANITARIAN IDEALS.

In all civilised countries there is growing tendency to greater kindliness towards our fellow creatures and also towards the lower animals. This is particularly true of Great Britain, though the British people have always been noted for their humanitarian characteristics. The ordinary police forces are used to deal with any lapses from regular standards, but besides the police there are other duty of protecting the helpless, kong The Royal Society for the Preven- nected body of inspectors ready to come to London to Paris, Paris may be suffering ill-treatment at the hands of parents or guardians. Many years ago these inspectors met with a hostile reception in a few of the poorer quarters of the towns and cities when making their investigation ; to-day they are welcomed in most homes and the general public is always ready to assist them in their work. A remarkable feature of their activities last year was that, of the cases investigated by them, fourteen per cent. were invited by parents who came for advice with regard to children who might be suffering because the parents were in adverse circum-

stances. The other organisation most directly concerned in this kind of work is the Royal Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals. This organisation has done noble work, not merely in detecting and securing punishment of individuals guilty of active cruelty, but in alleviating the sufferings of dumb creatures due to thoughtlessness or of understanding. Almost every Briton is a dog lover. Scarcely any inhabitant of Great Britain would cause needless sufferbusy centres where it was not convenient to have them running loose, householders were apt to keep their dogs chained up for relatively long gambling. periods. The work of the Society has not only led to the abolition of this, but the general public have now been so impressed by the Society's attitude that anyone offending in this connexion will very soon hear about it from his neighbours. In many other ways help. has been given. In the case of poor people who cannot afford to pay matter of fact, the accused actualveterinary surgeeons' fees there are now free clinics for the treatment of their pets when they are

ill or injured, and the Royal Col-

lego of Veterinary Surgeons. now raising funds for the foundling of a "chair" in Canine Medicine and Surgery.

To revert to the treatment of human beings, the recent development of welfare centres among the workers, both in the factories and near their homes, is evidence of the developing sense of social a.m. on Thursday. responsibility. The Industrial Welfare Society, an organisation formed in 1919 to stimulate the interest of employers in the welfare of their workpeople, has the names of fourteen hundred firms on its books. One firm recently installed a clinic, with a staff dentist and doctor, and others have made arrangements for treating their workpeople with ultra-violet rays. The general effect of this, in human comfort and human happiness, cannot be alternative of 10 days' hard labour stendy, no fluctuations of any im- a Washington attorney, who had the growth of humanitarian Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy ideals in the Old Country.

#### Hongkong's Air Future.

in the supply of fuel, their arrival throwing him into the rondway. and departure was witnessed by few. This may have been due to the fact that there was nothing craft is generally accepted, and it is partly by reason of this fact that the trip was of real importance to the Colony. Briefly stated, the object of the flight was to explore the possibilities of an extension of commercial air services from French Indo-China to Hongkong, its importance lying in the fact that the French Government has a much bigger project in view, the development of a commercial air service between Paris and Saigon. In other words, there is for the first time something tangible in the possibility, (presuming M. Robbe, the Deputy Director of the Cle Arienne Francaise, is satisfied with organisations concerned with the his experimental flight,) of Hongwith London by tion of Cruelty to Children has a mercial air services, namely, the assistance of any children who Saigon and Saigon to Hongkong. It may be some time before this desirable position is attained, but, in any event, it would seem that French enterprise will forestall any effort by British interests. Official Hongkong is ready to talk of Hongkong's future as an airport, has gone to the trouble of appointing a Director of Air Services, and Is content, apparently, to leave things at that. We have long urged that the Government should now concern itself more seriously with the development of Hongkong aviation in view of expected activity by Chinese aerial services companies in the near future. Now the French are coming into the field and might be argued that the need is more urgent. Perhaps the Director of Air Services will make a statement in the near future, outlining the official attitude towards the scheme contemplated by the French, and incidentally removing the impression that the post car-

# TWENTY, CHINESE GAMBLERS.

ries no duties with it.

ONE MAN WHO "PUT HIS SHIRT ON."

trate, Mr. N. L. Smith, at the a highly successful presentation. 11/2 quick tricks properly distrib- to the ten thousandth part of an Police Court this morning, charged Bardy Russell was as funny as uted. Some experts would not bid inch, it is impossible to gauge. with whiling away the holiday ever, his peculiar mannerisms and on less than Q J 10 X X, especially them without the master tools. hours over the week-end by inflexion of speech convulsing the on a clear score.

a pair of short pents:

charge of the case, the Magistrate enjoyable performance. stated that at least one of the accused seemed to have had a run ing "Diversion," a play which has "literally put his shirt on the

The Inspector replied that, as a

ly had done so! The Chinese who kept the little den where the arrests were made the others each had \$3 returned to them out of their \$5 bail.

# DAY BY DAY.

A GOSSIP'S TONGUE IS THE DEVIL! MATCHBOX .- Fred G. Pitt.

Lieut P. Ashe has been appointed to H. M. S. Torn.

The P. and O. s.s. Rajputana from Singapore, is due here at 6

The return of notifiable diseases for the 'past three days shows three cases of small-pox and one of cerebro-spinal fever. All were Chinese.

The Navy League (Hongkong Branch) advertise that the film "Keep Watch" will be shown at the Queen's .Theatre on Empire Day (May 24) at 5 p.m.

For stealing two zinc slabs from the Kowloon Docks; a Chinese employee was fined \$7 with the computed, but it is indicative of in default, by Mr. T. S. Whyto yesterday. The defendant was arrested in the street with slabs in his possession.

Michael Piankos, of 120, Whit-The French airmen who flew to field, received serious injuries to Hongkong from Saigon in a Bre- the head and face yesterday when guet seaplane and are now engaged he was thrown over the handlebars on the return trip, attracted very of his cycle, and is now in the G.C.H. little attention. 'Apart from aero.' Applying his brakes too roughly while riding down a hill, his bycycle drome officials and those concerned turned a complete somersault,

plied to Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith at liveries have shown some im- with exceeding the speed limit which could be regarded as spec- the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday provement during the last few along a country lane. tacular or brilliant in the journey for an order for the confiscation of days. from Saigon. The flight was quite two revolvers and eight rounds of an ordinary accomplishment in these ammunition which were found days when the reliability of air- hidden in some sand behind No. 41, Yuan Chau Street, Shamshuipo, on the morning of May 12. The necessary order was made.

> A Chinese woman yesterday attempted suicide by throwing herself into the harbour from Yaumati Ferry. She was promptly rescued, however, by the cook and scaman of the steam launch Man Ying, and was later taken to the G.C.H. where it was found that she was suffering from injuries received by striking the whorf and also immersion.

# WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following is the disposition of warships now in port: Basin .- H.M.S. Tamar, marine L.15.

North Arm.-H.M.S. Thracian. In Dock .- H.M., ships Bruce Somme and Sirdar.

Foreign.—Chinese gunboats Ying Swei, Hai Yung, Kwang and Chu Tai.

# FRENCH FLIGHT.

SEAPLANE SAFELY REACHES HANOI.

Word has been received that the Breguet scaplane which left here at 6.45 a.m. yesterday on the return flight to Indo-China, arrived at Hanoi at 4 p.m. (local time) on the same day.

The Hanoi-Hongkong flight has therefore been successfully accom plished both ways, with a favour able wind shortening the time of the return flight.

# BANVARD COMEDY SEASON.

"THARK" GREATLY ENJOYED LAST NIGHT.

Ben Travers' . comedy, "Thark, was presented to a large house at the Star Theatre, Kowloon, last night by the Banvard English Comedy Company and, as before, Bid one heart. A Q, although came in for wholehearted appre- valued as only 11/4 quick tricks, is ciation. From the beginning to really worth a shade more. the end the artists' work was I wenty perspiring Chinese were fully in keeping with their parts X; diamonds X X X; clubs A X. rately the dog is passed for the ing to a dog. But years ago, in lined up in front of the Magis- and all contributed their quota to Bid one heart. The hand contains race. As the keyways are gauged.

audience on many occasions. Mr.

To-night the Company is stag-

In recognition of his action in quirement. presenting all the rights of a vice-president of the hospital. contains two stops in clubs.

# PIECE GOODS MARKET.

AFFECTED BY TROUBLES IN KWANGTUNG.

The fortnightly Price Current and Market Report, published by the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, states:

#### Cotton Piece Goods.

The following reports have been received:

last year's purchases. Owing to furnished the theory. the present unsettled conditions in They passed currency, deliveries are practically forth the last report.

There has been a fair amount of enquiry for Poplins, Brocades and Striped Shirtings. Further business has been settled in these lines, but many offers have had to referred back. Manchester prices have been a little easier but weakness of exchange makes difficult to connect. Some orders are reported to have been placed for Black Cambrics, and a small trade has been done White Shirtlngs for early shipment. The adverse situation at Canton has caused a temporary Detective Inspector Fallon ap- set back to clearances, but de-

#### Woollens.

to have been placed on Union miles an hour?" Gaberdines and Union Cashmeres, but generally speaking business in Woollens is at a standstill. Bradford prices are lower, the bulk of next senson's requirements having already been settled.

# Cotton Yarn.

Market is stagnant and business entirely neglected.

Nominal quotations are as fol ows:-No. 10s. \$175-185, No. 123, \$18-190, No. 16s. \$190-195, No. 208, \$195-200.

Arrivals 300 bales. Shipments nil. Sales nil. Unsold Stock 1,400 bales. Bargains 4,600 bales.



(Abbreviations: A-ace; any card lower than 10.)

# Defensive Bids-4

Imagine that the dealer has one club. You are the second player. What would you bid holding each of the hands which follow? The explanation in each instance accompanies the illustra-

Spades X X; hearts K X X X diamonds A X X; clubs X X Bid one heart. The hand contains 11/2 quick tricks properly distrib-uted, 1/2 quick trick being in the five-card sult. Some experts will not bid on less than K 10 X X X, especially on a clear score.

Spades X X; hearts X X X diamonds A J X X X; clubs J X X. Pass. The hand does not contain approximately 1 1/2 quick tricks.

Spades A J 10 X X; hearts X X X; diamonds X X; clubs X X Bid one spade. The hand contains 1 1/2 quick tricks in the five-card

Spades X X X; hearts A Q X X; diamonds X X; clubs X X.

The twelfth in the row looked R. Henton Grey, as Sir Hector diamonds K J 10 X; clubs K X X. mark Manufacturing Co., Ltd., and cooler than the others, for he Benbow, was another who contri- Pass: When the five-card suit it has already been sanctioned by had no other wearing apparel than buted a large part to the fun, does not contain 1/2 quick trick the R.S.P.C.A, and been provisionwhile the ladies in the cast deserve the balance of hand should con- ally approved by the stewards of Addressing the Inspector in every credit for a thoroughly tain two quick tricks to justify a the National Greyhound Racing defensive bid.

X; diamonds X X X; clubs X X, tests have been made on racing for his money and had apparently not been seen in Hongkong before. Pass. 11/2 quick tricks missing, greyhounds,

Spades J X X; hearts Q 10 X; "Peter Pan," worth about £2,000 diamonds Q J 10 X; clubs A J X. was fined \$50, or 14 days, while Children, Great. Ormand-street, as good as an original no trumps ed'." Sir James Barrie has been elected with three suits stopped. It also

# The Very Idea

Two convicts at the Maryland gaol although hampered by their inability to spend any time together or erect anything in the way of working models, have perfected a device for the hydraulic generation of power on which they have been given a patent by the United

They are, says a New York mess. Further sales are reported in age, Frank Allers, a member of Brocades, Woven Stripe Poplins | the Norris murder gang, and Rayand Shadow Stripe Poplins. New mond Scott, serving a sentence sales have also been made in Tur- for highway robbery. Scott, who ret Cloths and Cord Stripe has practical experience in power Shirtings, but in the majority of plants, supplied the technical lines quantities booked only knowledge, while Allers, always amount to about 50 per cent. of interested in hydraulic power,

Kwangtung, with its depreciating and blueprints back and under the supervision nil: this state of affairs also ac- of the prison : guards, workcounts for the cautious policy ing by day in the furniture adopted by responsible dealers, in factory of the prison and studying making their commitments for by night. Finally, when the plans portance having taken place since a working model, constructed on which they obtained a patent.

The device, which costs extremely little to operate, forces water into an air chamber by its own pressure; from there it is forced by compressed air into a turbine, and then returns to the original container to be used again. The prisoners have told the Warden they would be able to supply the prison with electricity for \$1,000 a year instead of the \$70,000 the prison now spends annually for

A motorist was being charged

"Is it a fact," asked the Magistrate of the policeman in the witness-box, "that the defendant's A few small lines are reported car went round the corner at 80

The policeman nodded.

"Yes, sir! It must have been uite that."

"And what gear was he in?" was the Magistrate's next question. At this the policeman scratched his head and looked

"He was travelling too fast for me to see properly, sir," he said at last, "but I do remember that he had a bowler hat and a green scarf

["The days, are past when a woman's face was her fortune-today it is the druggist's Mr. Charles Warren.

When grandpa courted grand-(Dear days of frills and lace!) He'd bow, and say, "You hold

for mo A fortune in your face." But now when Reggie "pets" with Flo

In some dim parking-place, They kiss, and he says, "Girlie,

there's A fortune on your face!"

The Daily Mail reported a case king; Q-queen; J-jack; X- of a car crash, leading to the remarriage of a man and woman who had been divorced. From enquiries made, says journal, it seems that during the past year alone, seventy marriages have taken place between husbands and wives who have been divorced. Seventy couples in London went to all the expense and trouble of getting married and all the expense and trouble of getting divorced, only to go through all the expense and trouble of getting married again Wonderfull

> The National Greyhound Racing Club has long been seeking an effective device to defeat the racing crooks who make a practice of substituting one dog, for an-

This protection seems at last to have been secured. It takes the form of a small silver identity, disc or button, each with its specific marking, that is permanently fixed in the dog's car, which, is painlessly pierced.

As the dogs are p asented for each race the track manager, who is provided with a master gauge, fits this to the keyways on the Spades X X X; hearts Q J X X button, and if this registers accu-

The disc is the invention of Mr. Spudes Q 10 X X X; hearts X; Hall, M. Inst. M.E., of the Mono-Club, who will no doubt adopt the Spades A J X X X X; hearts Q scheme after a large number of

The length does not compensate . The device does not affect the for the missing quick trick re- dogs in any way and causes no

"Faither, what does this mean. a year, to the Hospital for Sick Bid no trump. The total hand is The light of other days has fad-

Faither:—"It juist means it's

time you were in bed."

# SIKHS ACCUSED OF SEDITION.

# FIVE ON TRIAL IN SHANGHAL.

# EVIDENCE GIVEN REGARDING PRAYER MEETINGS.

# QUESTION RULED OUT.

tions from the Crown Advocate, and Mr. Tycho Wing conducted the defence.

into Thibet and chants by woman in the temple.

#### "Monstrous Question."

During the proceedings, Mr. Priestwood asked a police witness what his experiences were regarding the law-abiding qualities of Sikhs in Shanghai which Mr. Wing ! munity.

The question was not allowed. It was stated, was closed in 1926 meetings were held on various occasions including the Baisakhi and my classifying of the Lam Chinig and to have robbed Festival or the anniversary of the languages of Micronesia simpli- Wong Chau-wan of five suits of birth of the Sikh caste.

was said, Ishar Singh, one of the Chinese and Indo-Malay migra- further counts are of being in accused, who was then the secretations outward across the Northern possession of a revolver without ary or spokesman of the temple Equatorial Tropic, some of which licence and with kidnapping three introduced the various speakers actually appear to have reached people to hold them for ransom. to the congregation.

# Speeches About Deportees.

C.I.D., stated that at a meeting, Professor Elliot Smith and W. J one of the police informers saw Perry, of the Manchester Univerone of the prisoners delivering an sity, and, after them, Professor address to the assembly at the J. Imballini, of the Paruna Unieast wall of the temple. Among versity, Argentine, with other ers was one about Gajan Singh a started on the same trail. Hanbury School, who was made a secretary of the temple in Pao- Christchurch, New Zealand, and for the purpose of lifting articles able grounds for knowing, or but Service at Swatow or Canton for the purpose of lifting articles able grounds for knowing, or but Service shan Road and was subsequently Mr. Christian have worked to from the harbour bed in the for the negligence of their officers Service. arrested with two others on a gether on parallel but indepen- Central Fairway. Both defen- and servants should have known, deported.

At another meeting on April 13, chants were rendered by an Indian woman. That was on the occasion of the Baisaki Festival whet Asa Singh, another of the prisoners addressed a gathering of more than 250 Sikhs.

The meetings, witness agreed were quite orderly to outward appearances but there had been reference to a certain Sikh o having been "despicably treated" by the Government. "The con gregation," witness emphasized was also listening very attentive-

# Police Informers.

by Mr. Wing, witness agreed that China." even the police informers had displayed a great deal of zest at the meetings. This in answer to Mr. Wing's questions regarding the qualifications of the informers and as to whether they could take 'down shorthand. "Just as these gentlemen are doing" Mr. Wing added, pointing to the Press bench. -It was then stated that there was no Sikh shorthand and that hand in English.

court that the informers had also been selected for their retentive memory. A knowledge of short hand would be of no avail as any scribbler would be promptly ejectheard of a deputation which was tral Police Court. The defendant sent to Captain Kennedy asking admitted the offence. his permission to allow all Sikh who according to Mr. Wing, had

misrepresented the proceedings. Questioned regarding the expedition into Thibet by Gujan Singh . the former school-master and tem- between the Hongkong and Shangple secretary, witness stated that he hai Bank and Lane Crawford's, was not prepared to disclose-what defendant sounded his horn twice, he knew about it. He did not know although there were no pedeswhether they fell foul of the law trians on the roadway. because of that expedition.

five accused, Isher, Singh, Hakim increasing nuisance caused by Singh, Narain Singh, Asa Singh such unnecessary tooting of motorand Inda Singh, were remanded car horns. He inflicted a fine of in custody.

# FORMER HONGKONG RESIDENT.

#### SEEKS INFORMATION ON ETHNOLOGY.

## OLD DAYS RECALLED.

Shanghai, May 14. years in the Colony, a considerable soners' motor van which was directs that, subject to those be- permanent way. Prayer meetings in the Gurd- time ago and in 1897 he re-visited standing outside. wara or Sikh temple and addresses Hongkong after spending a couple The prisoner was Chau Kau who residuary estate shall be placed delivered at the Baisakhi Festival of years in enthnological research is charged with the murder of two upon trust for the Society. featured at the hearing of the work in the Caroline Islands, sampan girls on March 18. charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of acting prejudiciously to which were then in the possession charge of the results of Court, he was jeered at and spat Official Administrator and Registrack. public safety brought against five of Spain: Some of the results of Sikh watchmen, who appeared his expediention are chronicled in the records of the Hongkong Odd Chinese and one European, succeeded in keeping the crowd back the which Volumes Society, before which while the prisoner was quickly the executor and trustee appointed.

He was stated to have been argued in the guard just about to the executor and trustee appointed enter one of the tunnels. Mr. V. Priestwood, Jr. appeared ago read a paper, Sir James for the prosecution under instruc- Stewart Lockhart being in the

friends in those days were Dr. the case to be adjourned until next left Hongkong estate to the value Reference was made by wit Lowson, Mr. D. Sassoon and Dr. month because the prisoner was of \$21,000, while estate in the nesses to a mysterious expedition Atkinson. In a letter now to under the medical observation of United Kingdom amounts to hand, Mr. Christian says:-"In Dr. Cannon, medical officer in £8,186. those days, I had quite a lot of charge of the gaol, who was not cricketing and other friends in at present able to give a definite

#### Language Classification.

"I have been out in New Zen- present trouble. ethnological problems connected ingly adjourned the case. Micronesia and the Eastern down for hearing at the Sessions, living at Lam Kwai Fong. The Gurdwara in Paoshan Road, Pacific. The results of my re- this being one in which Lam Chun search work in the Carolines is charged on three counts. On and re-opened with great rejoicing aroused great scientific interest in March 21, last year, with others In the Spring of 1928. Prayer- London at the headquarters of unknown, he is alleged to have the Royal Geographical Society, been on board a boat near Tai fied the further study of the clothing, a watch, a pair of shoes, At several of the meetings, it great series of mingled Indo- a quilt and \$65.80 in money. Two the shores of the New World."

. Since Mr. Christian tentatively Sub-Inspector D B. Ross, of the his arrival in England in 1899, the references made by the speak- Latin-American scholars, have

sedition charge. The trie were dent lines in investigating the dants pleaded guilty and were before the three cheques were subject still further.

# Information Wanted.

Southern Chinese or Cambodian defendant was charged had not thereby precluded from protecting Canton yesterday. The reinforcenouns of class or number used as yet come into force. In view of themseves and were induced to ments consisted of a regiment things. They would be of great case to be withdrawn. my theory. That fact, which I care- board the s.s. Seistan without a thereof, or want of authority in the fully note; that we have a large permit, Sin Po. described as an defendants to pay the same and to classifers in Maya (and they are this morning. very evidently akin to Malay) surely should interest sinologues, for they seem to link up this Central Under further cross-examination American language with Indo-

## MOTOR HORN NUISANCE.

#### TOOTING AT NIGHT BECOMES "INTOLERABLE."

"It is an intolerable ' nuisance not a single member of the Sikh nowadays, this tooting at night," community here could take short- said the Deputy Superintendent of Police (Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, Sub-Irspector Ross informed the C.I.E.), this morning in pressing

The summons was heard beed from the temple. He had not fore Mr. N. L. Smith at the Cen-

members in the police force to | Mr. Wodehouse said that the participate in the ceremonies. He incident occurred at two o'clock also did not know whether the on a recent morning, in Des Vocux Gurdwara objected to the two Road Central. There were dozens. police informers being present of cars tooting all over the place, and defendant's was the only one he could get.

On the stretch of the road

His Worship agreed with the After a whole day's hearing the D.S.P.'s remarks regarding the

# "SCENE" OUTSIDE COURT.

# SAMPAN FOLK JEER AND SPIT AT PRISONER.

# POLICE INTERVENE.

Old residents of the Colony will An unusual incident oc-

while the prisoner was quickly in the will, dragged into the van by warders.

relations and antecedents who and executor.

# MARINE COURT.

#### POLICE WITHDRAW ONE OF THE CASES.

ing, before the Hon. Commdr. G. F. Hole, R.N., the masters of two fined \$10 each.

of a case in which the steersman probably or possibly had been districts has again undergone a In a letter which the Telegraph of a junk was charged with made the instruments of forgery, sudden change, according to latest has now received from Mr. anchoring within the forbidden The Government, nevertheless, reports to the Kwang-tung Army Christian, he says:- "I should be limits of the telegraph cable area abstained from warning the Bank. Headquarters. most grateful to any Chinese or of Tsing Ling Tau, Inspector By such negligence the Govern- The Kwangsi troops have been Indo-Chinese scholars who would Andrews was understood to say went adopted the cheques and the forced to evacuate Tsingyun, upon be so kind as to send me a list of that the Ordinance under which Bank, to their prejudice, were the arrival of reinforcements from affixes in country, persons, and this fact, his Worship allowed the honour and pay them. "Whereby, under Colonel Tai Cheh.-Nan

value to me in further working out For hawking cooked food on from setting up the alleged forgery class of these peculiar number- unlicensed hawker, was fined \$10 debit the account of the said

# BEQUEST FOR THE ENTERING RAILWAY C. M. S.

# THE REV. C. N. R. MACKENZIE'S WILL PROVISIONS.

A bequest to the Church Misquests and other provisions, his

Resealing of probate has been

When the prisoner appeared Miss Marian Dods, of No. 1. before the Puisne Judge (Mr. Comiston Drive, Edinburgh, Scot-Justice Wood), Mr. Leo D'Almada, land, who died on September 10,

Resealing of probate has been granted to the Hoh. Mr. W E. L. Hongkong, who will be interested opinion on the man's mental conto know that I am still alive after dition. Further it was desired to attorney of Mr. W. Dods, brother all these years.

be difficult to get at owing to the man, merchant, who died intestate dant, his Worship said accused objected to after characterizing it land," says Mr. Christian, for Mr. Somerset Fitzroy, who pro- Mi To, Honam, Canton, on or gaol, and registered a caution. as a monstrous question reflecting many years now, still engaged in secuted for the Crown, offered no about September 5, 1928, left The other accused was fined \$1, on the whole of the local Sikh com- my spare time in studying objection and his Lordship accord- Hongkong estate worth \$24,900. his Worship remarking that he had with the Malay Archipelago, There is only one other case been granted to" Ho Sui-wing, realise they could not trespass

## LEGAL ARGUMENT IN BANK CASE.

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heques should be permitted to get into the possession of strangers or unauthorised persons. (2) That when not in regular use chequebooks should be kept in a place of security.

strangers and the books were not forces against Kwangsi. kept in a place of security.

# At the Marine Court this morn- Government "Adopts" Cheques.

The last paragraph of presented for payment and paid, In applying for the withdrawal that the cheques had been, or

> the said Government are stopped Chung Kuo News Service. Government."

"That reminds me, I must get some shock absorbers put

# TUNNEL. CHINESE WHO WAS WALKING

# TO CANTON.

# TWO OTHER ESTATES | TRESPASSING CHARGE.

That he would have to do somebe interested to hear news of Mr. curred outside the Supreme Court sionary. Society for Africa and thing to make people realise they the W. Christian, B.A., who is now this morning when one of the pri- the East is contained in the will were not permitted to trespass on Borough Librarian of the Public soners to be tried at the Criminal of the Rev. Charles Norman Ross the railway track, was the com-Library at Palmerston North, New Sessions was mobbed by a highly- Mackenzie who died at Welling- ment of Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith, at excited crowd of sampan people, ton, New Zealand, on June 15, the Kowloon Magistracy this when he was being taken from the 1928. Testator, after having made morning, when two Chinese were Mr. Christian spent several Court building to the waiting pri- a number of family bequests, charged with trespassing on the

> One of the defendants, said he had no money to pay his fare by boat and was endeavouring to reach Canton by following the

Mr. F. Winyard pointed out the danger of persons entering the tunnels, remarking that, unless they knew of the shelters, they Amongst Mr. Christian's senior, who defended, asked for 1928, at North Berwick, Scotland, would be run over in the event of a train passing through.

> The other defendant, who appeared on bail, informed his Worship that he was merely crossing the lines. He did not know that

were in Kwangsi and who would Ho Ping-woon, alias Ho King- In the case of the first defenat No. 1 , Lung Sing Lane, Lung had already spent one night in Letters of administration have to do something to make them

#### CANTON STILL NOT CAPTURED.

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# 14 Transports Coming.

A private telegram from Shanghai received in Hongkong to-day states that the Nanking Government has commandeered 14 mer-The Government negligently chantmen for the transportation of permitted at least 60 cheques to troops of Kwangtung for the purcome into the possession of pose of reinforcing the Cantonese

The troops assigned to this expedition are probably those of General Hung Sck-fei's division. the They have been on their way since fishing boats were charged by Sgt. statement of defence, says that the May 18th. and are expected to

# North River Change.

Canton, May 20. The situation in the North River

# Officials' Families Leave.

Canton, May 20. General Chan Chai-tong's family left Canton for Hongkong together with other high officials' families by the s.s. Sai-On, yesterday afternoon.-Nan Chung Kuo News Scr.

# Specie Brought to Hongkong.

Last night, a large consignment of silver in bars and subsidiary coin was brought down from Canton by the s.s. Taishan. This was the consignment which the Canton officials had endeavoured to send down on the previous day by the s.s. Fatshan, but which could not be shipped owing to late

In all, there were some hundreds. of cases, the total value of the bullion being put at several million dollars. All are said to be from the Central Bank of China. This morning, the silver was delivered in lorries to the Banque de l'Indo Chine for storage.

#### Hunan Move on Wuchow. Shanghai, May 20.

A message from Changsha says the Hunan troops under Ho Chien are not pursuing the Kwangsi forces, but are attempting to march swiftly southwards with the object of capturing Wuchow, where the rebel headquarters are established, and thereby effecting a junction with the Kwangtung forces .- Reuter.

Sentence of four years' penal servitude was passed at the Old Bailey on Philip Phillips, 54, of Humbertson-street, Aldgate, who pleaded guilty to wounding his wife, with intent to murder her, and also attempting to commit!

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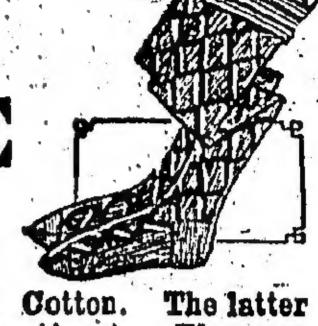
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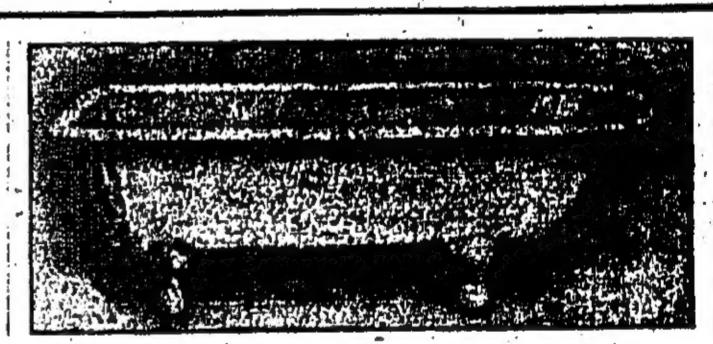
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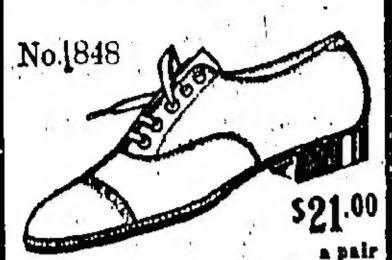
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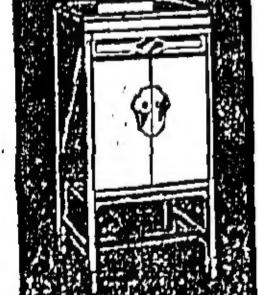
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# DEATH OF EARL OF ROSEBERY.

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at the Home Office, but resigned holidays, Captain the Hon. when Conservatives objected of the Upper House.

After two spells as Foreign Secretary where his excellent record gained him much honour, Lord Rosebery at the comparatively early age of 46, because Prime

#### His "Lonely Furrow."

He embarked on his brief term of office with plenty of trouble in was not a happy one, and when the final smash came in June; 1895. the Prime Minister regretted it scores were: least of all.

Shortly afterwards he fell out with Mr. Gladstone over the Turkish question and resigned, farewell and momentous speech being delivered in Edinburgh in October, 1896. . To quote his own phrase, he gave up active no less so in the world of litera- problem. polities to plough his lonely fur- ture and sport. He has contributrow—one of his most historic ed to historical literature works picture producer, Walter E.

Campbell-Bannerman was not days at Eton (as is shown in his proving popular, many Liberals prophetical remark quoted above), turned hopefully to Lord Rosebery' and at Oxford the Dean was conbut by this time his Imperialistic fronted with the phenomenon of tendencies had alienated him to an undergraduate keeping a stud a great extent from the views of of horses. his old party. Time only widened the gap, and his famous speech on the 1909 (Lloyd George) Budget made the gap a yawning gulf.

political career came virtually to an end. But it must not be could have obtained with ease had thought his interest in politics has he cared to go in for it. evaporated; indeed, it is only a few weeks since he was addressing inconvenient questions regarding party funds.

# Last of the Orators.

Lord Rosebery has been called the last of the Victorians, but he might more truthfully be called the last of the orators. The memory of his golden voice and the charm of his personality was one of the most abiding Parlinmentary impressions he left, and won for him the name of "the Orator of the Empire."

. He was never such an orator as Gladstone; he never had his energy-perhaps, as one writer says "he had too many gifts"but he belonged to the great company, of verbal spell-binders. There was one quality he had, however, in overflowing measure, 4 and that was charm. His words I never poured from him in a wild, whirling, and sometimes involved sentences—they usually flowed like a placid stream catching light and shadow, and reflecting his own thoughts clearly and distinctly.

His first adventure in public speaking was at the tender age of 14, when he spoke at a luncheon to Volunteers given by his grandfather. Many who heard that speech predicted great things of

Was a triumph. Entrusted, at the age of 23, with the task of seconding the Reply to the Address in the House of Lords, he delivered a maiden speech which wrung ungrudged admiration from every

His great chance to shine in oratory came in 1897, when he in-vited Gladstone to stand for Midlothian; and for a week, we are told, literally "hosted, toasted, and roasted" his illustrious guest. When the campaign was over everyone recognised that the "Grand Old Man" had found a

worthy successor. Many of the Rosebery orations were memorable one in particular, his address as Lord Rector of Edinburgh University in 1882. Another great speech was that delivered in the House of Lords on the death of Mr. Gladstone in 1898, when he paid a noble and eloquent tribute to his late chief.

# Links With Edinburgh.

The career of Lord Rosebery is 4 bound up indissolubly with Edin- 1 burgh and Dalmeny. There he I took his bride after their wedding 1 to receive a welcome of the warmest cordiality. It was at Dalmeny, too, that there occurred the great tragedy of his life when,

Residence at his Midlothian seat maturally brought him into , the closest connexion with Edinburgh. As Lord-Lieutenant of Midlothian, hon. Colonel of the 8th Battalion Royal Scots, Lord Rector of Edin-Liberal allowance on your old burgh University, and a prominent talking-machine. Come in and figure in many other spheres of activity, he was 'closely identified with men and affairs in the Scottish capital. In 1911 to his other numerous titles there was added 1 that of Earl of Midlothian.

In the Realm of Sport.

Illustrious as is Lord Roschery's name in the realm of politics it is

# FANLING GOLF.

RESULTS OF WHITSUNTIDE COMPETITIONS.

At Fanling, over Whitsuntide to Leveson Gower (10) won the the post being filled by a member Bogey Pool with a score of 3 up. There were in all 34 entries, and the other scores were:

K. S. Robertson (6) 2 up O. E. C. Marton (+1) 1 up \* T. C. Monaghan (9) \* A, H. Ferguson (2) \* All 'square.

#### Medal Round.

T. C. Monaghan .. 85- 9=76. E. D. Matthews ... 89-10=79 entrics.

which deserve to be considered classics. His love of the turf During the Boer War, when manifested itself even in his early

For the youthful turf devotee it was a choice between his degree and his dobbins, and he showed his strong spirit of independence There, it may be said, his by choosing the latter. Accordingly, he left Oxford minus a degree he

> With his horses Lord 'Rosebery has won practically every race of any importance, including the Derby three times-in 1894 with Ladas, the following year with Sir Visto, and in 1905 with Cicero.

# MISSING GIRLS.

NEW THEME IN MOTION PICTURES.

Divers reasons for the strange action of modern youth have been suggested by many people interested in the subject. Noted novelists have written stories of Flaming Youth and the Restless Sex. Peculiar conditions arising out of the World War have been blamed; then the mode of the modern girls attire; automobiles and jazz.

.Frenkish solutions have been O. E. C. Marton (74+1=75) advanced by scientists and mewon the Medal Round. There dical men, and enlarged thyroids were eleven entries, and Captain and the presence of piluitary the air. Internally, the Cabinet the Hon, W. Leveson Gower (83- glands have been solemnly point-10=73) submitted the same card ed to as the cause of the unrest as for the Bogey Pool. Other among the new thoroughly restless

> Where do these countless girls The Fourball Foursomes were go? Do they seek adventure? cancelled, owing to insufficient Tire of school? Resent discipline? Seek "careers?" Become victims of forbidden love? The subject has become a world-wide

Now comes a well known motion Greene, who has made a study of the situation for several years with a view to dramatizing the possibilities of this theme. He has produced a sensational photoplay, showing the perils and pitfalls of the modern flapper, without preachment, called "The Port of Missing Girls," which is the attraction at the Queen's Theatro to-day and to-morrow.

# NO COSTS FOR MAN ACQUITTED.

APPLICATION DISMISSED IN MYSTERY CASE.

An application for costs against the Crown on behalf of Walter Read, aged 32, who was acquitted on a charge of assaulting a staff maid at

# THE LATE EARL OF ROSEBERY.



The late Earl of Rosebery, one of the most brilliant of Victorian statesmen, and wellknown racehorse-owner, whose death is reported to-day at the age of 82 years. This portrait was taken when he was still a force in British politics.

the Old Bailey.

charged by the Bow-street maglstrate, and the case was brought quitted, by a jury. by the Director of Public Prosecutions under the fiat of the Attorney-General through a bill to the grand jury after Sir Chartres Biron had held that there was not sufficient

evidence to commit. The Recorder said he could see no circumstances to suggest that the | exercised it. .

the Reform Club, was dismissed at intervention of the Director was either frivolous, vexatious, or in been acquitted, and properly ac-

He was of opinion that he had no power to make the order asked for. It was regrettable that there was no help from the leading case and that he had imply to rely on his knowledge of English grammar. Had he the power he would not have

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ENGLAND ELECTRICITY SCHEME. BRITISH MATERIALS TO BE USED.

The whole of the material used in the contract placed by the Central Electricity Board with the General Electric Co., Ltd., for one section of the overhead transmission lines in the south-east of England, will be manufactured in Great Britain.

An official of the company stated that the contract, the. value of which was approximately £500,000, would cover the erection of the 132,000 volt line in the district north of the Thames, stretching from Reading on the west to Peterborough on the north, and Ipswich and Colchester on the east. The total mileage of the overhead transmission would be 254 miles, and the total actual length of conductor would be 1,300 miles.

The contract would be carried out by the General Electric Company with the assistance of their associated company, the Pirelli-General Cable Works, Ltd., of Southampton, the latter company carrying: out all the actual erection work. The work of erection would take in all three years, and employment would be given in the actual erection work to between 500 and 1,000 men. In addition to that employment would be given to large numbers in the manufacture of the steel towers, steelaluminium conductors insulators, and other accessories.

The overhead lines are one section of the system of overhead lines covering the whole of England and Scotland which are being creeted by the Central Electricity Board with the object of linking up the main generating stations throughout the country and affording a cheap supply of electric power in all districts.

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# WHITSUN RACE MEETING.

CHRISTMAS CHIMES BEATEN BY SHORT HEAD.

# SOME FINE FINISHES.

There were several thrilling Buster ...... 98 finishes on the concluding day of the fifth extra race meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club, notably in the Whitsun Plate and in the May

Busher

Monterey Bay

San Francisco

Loch Etive

City Hall

74

Blue Danube

28 Plate. The principal race of the Erin's Isle ........ 31 afternoon was won by One Third, Ideal Stag ........ which defeated the favourite, Christmas Chimes by a short head.

For China Ponies, non-winning Subscription Griffins of this Olub, of any Substitute Stakes, or an A Class season. Jockey Allowance. 1st Handicap since 1st January, 1929, Prize: \$400, 2nd Prize: \$150, 3rd barred. 1st Prize: \$400, 2nd Prize: Prize: \$100.

Mr. K. H. Kay's Szatmar (Mr. Heard)

Mr. Harbot's The Jungle Book ". . (Mr. Proulx)

Mr. R. M. Austin's False Alarm (Mr. Arnold)

Also ran: Bowden (Mr. J. M. d'Almada Remedios), Half Pint (Mr. Charles), Kum On (Mr. Sewell); Mountain Air (Mr. G. A. da Roza), Movanagher (Mr. Cave), Ploughman (Mr. K. C. Lau), Pumpkin (Mr. Liang), Sunshind (Mr. Harriman).

Time: 1 min. 35 secs. A length; half length.

Pari-mutuel; Winner \$7.70; Places, half. 1st \$6.20; 2nd \$10.00; 3rd \$6.10.

|                    | winner | Pinces. |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| Bowden             | . 11   | 33 '    |
| Ploughman          | . 4    | 1 12    |
| The Jungle Book    | 0      | . 55    |
| False Alarm        | . 248  | 648     |
| Moyanagher         | . 13   | '69     |
| Mountain Air       | 19     | 152     |
| Sunshine           | . 97   | 248     |
| Tornado            | 13     | 32      |
| Pumpkin ********** | 1      | 7       |
| Haif Pint          | . 15   | . 67    |
| Szatmar            | . 683  | . 000   |
| Kum On             | . 6    | 36      |
|                    |        |         |

Choung Chau Plate: Five Furlongs. in Hongkong at least twice since 1st in Hongkong in 1929, \$750 or over January, 1929. Weight for -inches in cash prizes. Weight 148 lbs. For as per scale. Winners this year of each \$200 or part thereof won in exto Subscription Griffina), 7 penalty; of two or more races, 12 lbs. penalty." Jockey Allowance, Prize: \$400, 2nd Prize: \$150, Prize: \$100.

Mr. Dynasty's Young Pretender (Mr. Newbiggin) Mr. Hau Un's Monterey Bay .... (Mr. da Roza)

Mr. W. T. Stanton's Buster .... (Mr. Stanton)

(Mr. da Roza) Messrs. Beith and Heard's Christmas Chimes 2 Mr. Hinson's Chesapeake Bay

Also ran: Blue Danube (Mr. Loo), City Hall (Mr. Arnold), Erin's Isle (Mr. Charles), Ideal Stag (Mr. Mc-Cartney), and San Francisco (Mr. da

Time: 1 min. 15 3/5secs. Two lengths; two lengths,

Parl-mutuel: Winner \$46.20; Places 1st \$10.70; 2nd \$0,50; 3rd \$10,50.

Betting. Young Pretender ..... 137

Lantao Handicap: "B" Class: One Mile.—For China Ponies. Ponies, Crocodile Stakes: Six Furlongs .- other than Subscription Griffins, which have won the Aggregate Stakes, \$150, 3rd Prizo: \$100.

> Mr. Hinson's Monk ..... (Mr. Harriman) Messrs. Cheng and Ng's Glory (Mr. da Rozn) Messrs. Stanton and Reidy's

(Mr. Stanton) Also ran: Acc of Spades (Mr. Charles), Bright Prospect (Mr. Prouix), Doubtful (Mr. Loo), Erstwhile (Mr. A. B. S. Clarke), Flying Stag (Mr. J. M. d'Almada Remedios), Narad Stag (Mr. Soares), Tarzan (Mr. Heard) and Zephyr (Mr.

Arnold) ... Time: 2. 07 4/5.

Two lengths; two lengths and a

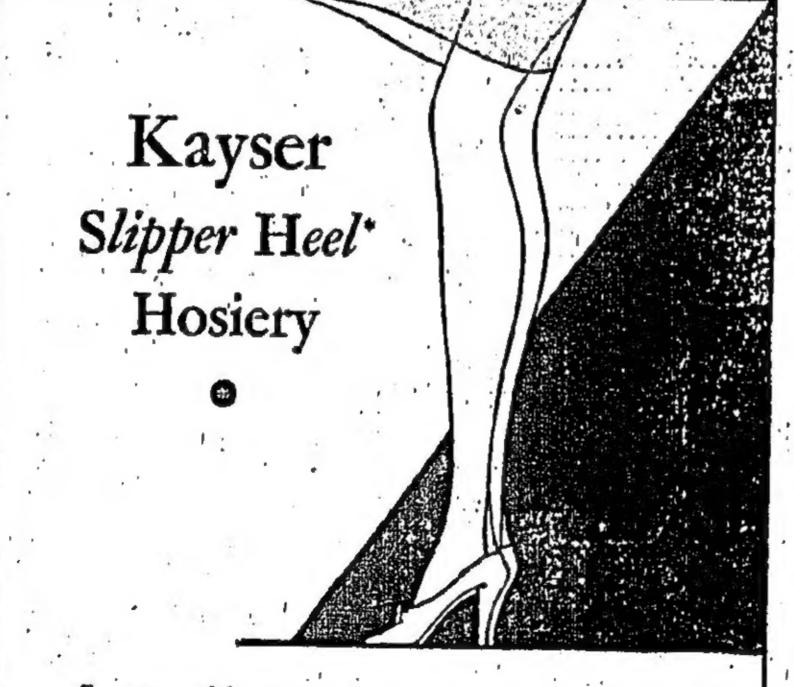
Pari-Mutuel, Winner \$22.80; Places, 1st \$10.70; 2nd \$9.60; 3rd \$15.90

| 1 12t \$10'10; Sug \$2'00; 91d \$ | 10.30.     |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Botting.                          |            |
| Winn                              | or Places. |
| Tarzan 142                        | 199        |
| Bright Prospect 225               | 333        |
| Eratwhile 4                       | 24         |
| Nara Stag 45                      | 96         |
| Monk 192                          | 210        |
| Flying Stag 19                    |            |
| Doubtful 20                       |            |
| Zephyr 10                         | 85         |
| Mowgli 00                         |            |
| Ace of Spades 30                  | .118       |
| Glory 197                         | 258        |

Whitsun Plate: One and a Quarter Miles.-For China Ponies that have For China Ponies that have started started in Hongkong and have won cess of \$750, 1 lb. extra. Subscription Griffins of this Club of any season allowed 10 lbs. 1st Prize: \$590. 2nd 3rd Prize: \$300. 3rd Prize: \$150.

Mr. Yam Man's One Third

(Mr. Heard) (Mr. Harriman) 3 (Continued on Page 10.).



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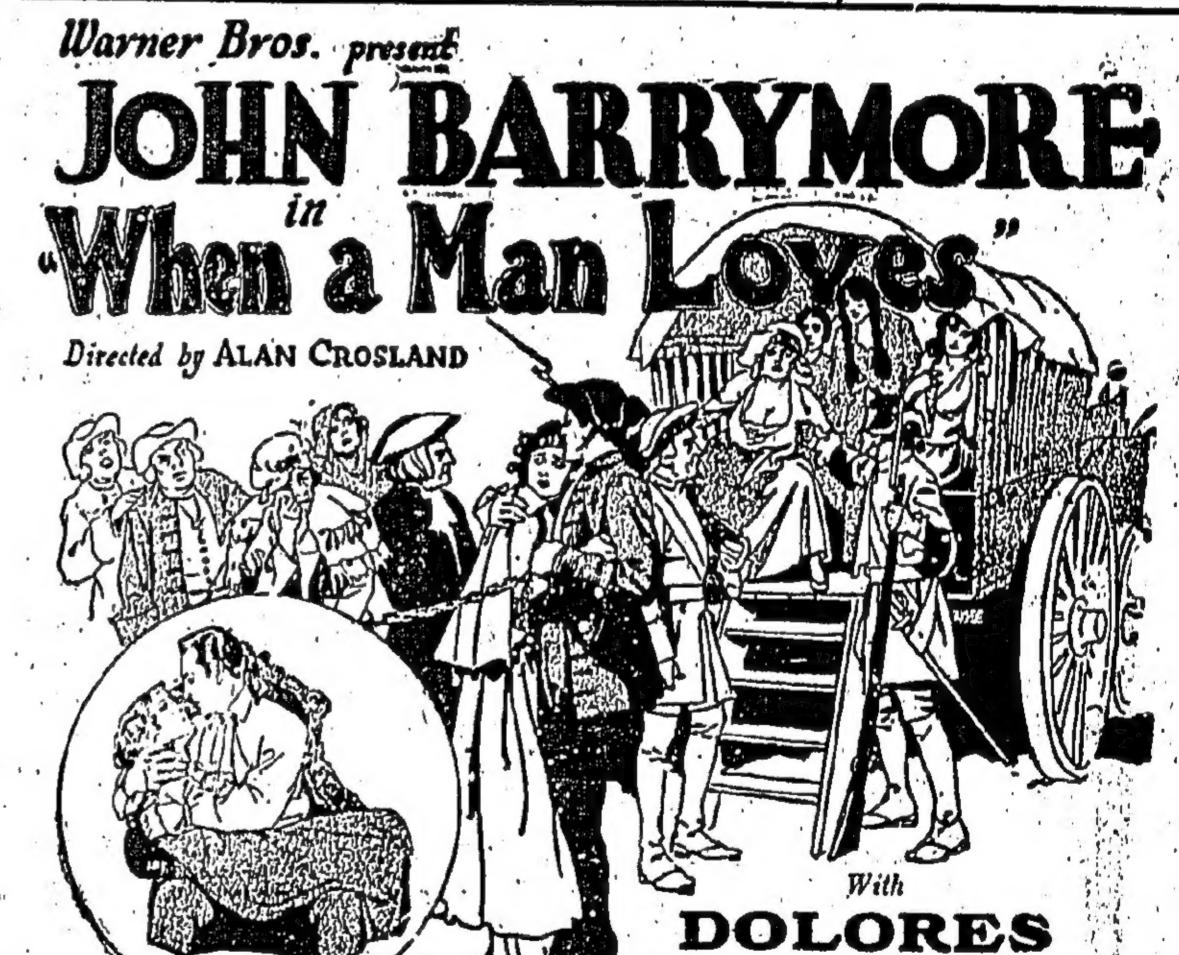
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(Continued from Page 9.)

Also ran: Grand Tattoo Eve (Mr. Stanton), Skinfaxi (Mr. Newbiggin) and Town Hall (Mr. Soares).

Time: 2 mins. 36 secs.

A short head; four lengths.
Parl-mutuel; Winner \$13.80; Places
1st \$5.20; 2nd \$5.10; 3rd \$5.80.

#### Betting.

| . 20    |              | Winner                                | PINCO |
|---------|--------------|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Marren  | Hall         | 44                                    | 102   |
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| Grand   | Tattoo Evo . | 42                                    | 101   |
|         |              |                                       |       |

May Plate (Handicap): One and a Quarter Miles—For China Ponies that have started at least four times since 1st January, 1929, and have not won. To be ridden by novices. 1st Prize: \$400, 2nd Prize: \$150, 3rd

Mr. Service's As You Like It
(Mr. Clark)

Mr. Glenside's Fanling Stag (Mr. McCartney) 2 Mr. R. M. Austin's Brigade Call (Mr. Arnold) 3

Also ran: Duke of Milan (Mr. Lee), Kom Tong Hall (Mr. Liang), Mount Elburz (Mr. Lau), Movanagher (Mr. Cave) and San Francisco (Mr. Bennett).

Time: 2 mins, 43-3/5 secs.
A head; half a length.
Pari-mutuel, Winner \$19.30; Places
1st \$6.60; 2nd \$8.10; 3rd \$5.60.

| . Betting.                      |        |             |
|---------------------------------|--------|-------------|
|                                 | Winner | Place<br>77 |
| Mount Elburz<br>Brigado Call    | . 519  | 758         |
| Duke of Milan                   | . 93   | 191         |
| As You Like It<br>Kom Tong Hall | . 246  | 301<br>34   |
| San Francisco                   | . 108  | 96          |
| Movanagner                      | . 21   | 77          |
| Fanling Stag                    | . 49   | 160         |

Lantao Handicap: "C" Class: One Mile.—For China Ponies. Ponies, other than Subscription Griffins, which have won the Aggregate Stakes, Substitute Stakes, or an A Class Handicap since 1st January, 1929, barred. 1st Prize: \$400. 2nd Prize: \$150. 3rd Prize: \$100.

Messrs. Ip and Mo's Inca (Mr.Harriman)

Mr. James' Rummy (Mr. Stanton)
Messrs. Harry and Henry's
Zeniebil (Mr. Heard)

Also rang Cavalier (Mr. Charles),
Dark Eyes (Mr. Newbiggin), King's
Parade (Mr. Clarke), May (Mr.
Soares), Mirror Hall (Mr. Loo), The
Ptarmigan (Mr. da Roza) and White
Mist (Mr. Proulx),
Time: 2 mins., 9-3/5 sees.

Two lengths; two lengths and a half.
Pari-mutuel: Winner \$12.00; Places.

#### 1st \$6.00; 2nd \$7.20; 3rd \$8.00. Betting.

| Betung.       | 1.5    |        |
|---------------|--------|--------|
|               | Winner | Places |
| nca           | . B95  | 583    |
| lummy         |        | 283 .  |
| Zenjebil      | . 229  | 209    |
| Dark Eyes     | . 94   | 91     |
| he Ptarmigan  | . 94   | 188    |
| Vhite Mist    | . 2    | 15     |
| fay           |        | 75     |
| ding's Parade | : 37   | 75     |
| Cavalier      | . 35   | 88     |
| dirror Hall   |        | 17     |
| 1 ')          |        | £      |

Lama Plate: From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (about 1 Mile 165 Yards).—For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this season. Winners at this meeting barred. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners of two races, 5 lbs. penalty; of three or more races, 10 lbs. penalty. Non-winners allowed 5 lbs. Jockey Allowance. 1st Prize: \$400. 2nd Prize: \$150. 3rd Prize: \$100.

Mr. John Peel's Noukhail

Messra, Tester and Abraham's The Ape (Mr. Harriman) 2 Mr. Wayloong's The Jamaica (Mr. Newbiggin) 3

Also ran: Duke of Normandy II (Mr. Proulx), King's Falloch (Mr. da Roza) and The Sun (Mr. Stanton), Time: 2 mins. 22 secs. Length and a half: two lengths.

Time: 2 mins. 22 secs.

Length and a half; two lengths.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$11.30; Places,

1st \$0.10; 2nd \$7.80; 3rd \$6.70.

| -Betting.                  | ,     |
|----------------------------|-------|
| Betting. Winner            | Place |
| Duke of Normandy II . 23.  | 80    |
| King's Falloch 209         | 392   |
| Noukhail 646               | 709   |
| The Ape                    | 200   |
| The Jamaica 399            | 470   |
| The Sun 180                | 246   |
| Lantao Handleap: "A" Class | : On  |

Mile For China Ponies. Ponies, other than Subscription Griffins, which have won the Aggregate Stakes, Substitute Stakes, or an A Class Handleap since 1st January, 1929, barred. Entrance Fee \$5. 1st, Prize: \$400, 2nd Prize: \$150. 3rd Prize: \$100. Messrs. Yue and Lo's Rose Hall

Mesars, Liang and Wong's O-Moon

(Mr. Proule)

Mr. Harbot's City Hall

Also ran: Blue World (Mr. Stanton), Duke of Melrose (Mr. Sewell), Fifty-Fifty (Mr. Loo), Imperial Hall (Mr. Soarcs), Sunning (Mr. Botelho), and Tangle (Mr. Heard).

Time: 2 mins. 05 secs.

A length; two lengths.
Pari-mutuel; Winner, \$8.90; Places,
1st \$6.50; 2nd \$13.90; 3rd \$13.60.

Betting.

Winner Places
Imperial Hall 200 233/
Fifty Fifty 120 163
Tangle 180 319
Duke of Meirose 65 68

# TENNIS INTERPORT.

LOCAL CHINESE TO MEET STRAITS PLAYERS.

Local lawn tennis enthusiasts will be interested to learn that an unofficial Chinese lawn tennis Interport will take place this week on the Chinese R. C. ground at Causeway Bay. Sometime ago it was announced that Khoo Hooi-hye, the Straits Chinese tennis star, was paying a visit to the Colony, and it is understood he is arriving on the French mail Angers to-day. Ong Ee-kong, another well-known Straits player, is also in the Colony and has kindly consented to delay his departure for a few days in order that some Interport games may be played with Hongkong Chinese players.

The matches promise to be more than usually interesting. Both Khoo Hooi-hye and Ong Ee-kong are exceptionally fine players, the former having represented China in the Far Eastern games. They will be opposed by M. W. Lo, Ng Sze-kwong and Ho Ka-lau, the Club champion.

The Interport commences to-morrow, when singles will be played. On Thursday there will be a doubles match and on Friday there will be two more singles. The full pro-

# gramme is as follows:

Singles: Ong Ec-kong v M. W. Le; Khoo Hooi-hye v Ng Sze-kwong. The first match will commence at 4 p.m.

## Thursday.

Doubles: Ong and Khoo v Ng Sze-kwong and M. W. Lo, to commence at 4.30.

Friday.

Singles: Ong Ec-kong v Ho Kalau and Khoo Hooi-hye v M. W. Lo. In order to defray expenses a charge of \$1 for scats will be made.

| -          |        | -   |
|------------|--------|-----|
| City Hall  | . 162. | 148 |
| Rose, Hall | . 856  | 821 |
| O-Moon     | . 72   | 141 |
| Blue World | . 21   | 124 |

THE CASH SWEEPS.

Full List of the Lucky Numbers.

The following are the results of the Cash Sweeps:

|    |      | ,     | Race               | 1.    |    |      |      |     |
|----|------|-------|--------------------|-------|----|------|------|-----|
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| 3, | 269, | 143,  | unners<br>110, 440 | , 79, | 99 | , 4, | 148. |     |
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Race 2.

No. 488 \$1176

" 460 \$ 336

" 464 \$ 168

Unplaced runners (\$50 each)—Nos.
407, 335, 313, 302, 24, 141.

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|      | No.  | 273   | ,           |      |        | <b>\$</b> 133 | 5.60  |      |
|      | **   | 510   |             |      | •      | \$ 38         | 1.60  |      |
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|                | Race  | 4                                       |
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| No. 356        |       | \$2012.40                               |
| " 386          | •     | \$ 746.40                               |
| " 11           |       | \$ 373.20                               |
| Unplaced ru    | nners | (\$100 cach)-Nos                        |
| 412, 459, 821, | *     | *************************************** |
| 2              | Race  | 5.5.                                    |
| . No. 219      |       | \$1572.20                               |
| " 561          | *     | \$ 440.20                               |
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60, 540, 488, 144, 52.

Race 6.

No. 547 31440.60

" 144 8 411.60

" 326 \$ 205.80

Unplaced runners (\$50 each)—Nos.
416, 110, 130, 599, 265, 112, 285.

Race 7.

No. 181

" 809

" 157

Unplaced runners (\$50 each)—Nos

Race 8.

No. 467 \$1682.80

" 888 \$480.80

" 421 \$240.40

Unplaced runners (\$50 each)—Nos

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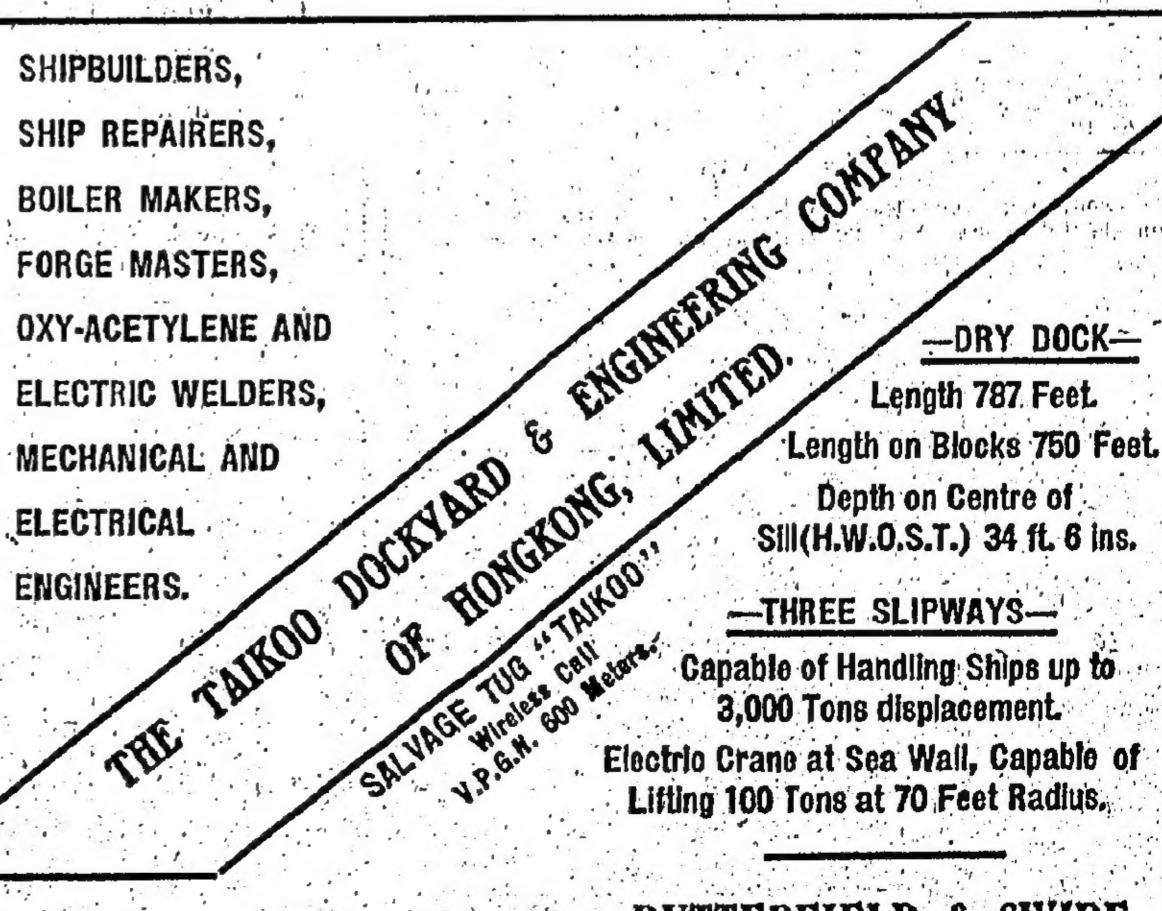


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# THE BLACK PIGEON.

By Anne Austin.

**CHAPTER XXXVIII** 

"I have seen Mr. Borden a number of times during the last few followed him about, telephoned months—at a distance," Martha him here at his office and at his Manning answered the detective home, wrote letters which he did

"You mean you followed him about?" McMann pounced.

Martha Manning smiled strange- chance, discovered how you could ly, and did not answer. But she stamped out her half-smoked use that other office as the scene clgarette in the ash tray which of your crime-" stood on Borden's desk, and dropp-'ed her hands into her lap—as if she could not trust one of them under the piercing eye of the de- ashen, except for those ghastly

-when was the last time you saw no foundation for a charge like last letter to your former lover?". Harry Borden?" McMann asked thatwith angry impatience.

with Mr. Borden."

pose and the result of that im- is that?" promptu interview. Miss Mann-

"As to the purpose of that interview, I decline to answer. Its result you undoubtedly know already," the woman answered wrist. "I-don't know! calmly, but Ruth saw her hands were gripping each other tightly in her lap.

McMann laughed, an ugly sound. "You're a cool one, all right! . . . Yes, the man Ashe that ended in a fight in which you now?"

The state brooked out I got Martha Manning seemed sudthe cut on your lip has healed. . .

make a job of it?" The woman's great dark eyes where Borden's life counter?"

"But"-McMann leaned forward she answered his question: since that night! That's offence, Mr. McMann." true, fan't it?"

sharply, then, in a voice that quiv- broker?" McMann asked sarered and broke with emotion: "I castically. "Is he famous in his I loved him. I loved Harry Borden field?" from the day I met him till the day I saw his name and business I he died. I still love him—where listed on the bulletin board of the yer he is now, and will love him Starbridge Building," Miss Mantill I die!" 🐇

chair, regarding the trembling Harry Borden when he took these woman with that twisted smile of loffices three years ago, weren't his which Ruth Lester longed pas- you? You were pretty familiar

"Suppose we get down to brass suppose?" a few things, and then you tell me Hayward about insurance, I had then paused to watch the blood answer, but Ruth saw a pair of ing's thin face, leaving the rouge twining-hands that would not lie, Borden to recognize and support | serve its owner's hidden purposes. as his illegitimate child-"

rose from her chair, leaned toward pression that they had a message the detective with elenched, trem- for her-a message of vital bling hand, as if she were going importance—but with that comto strike him. "Harry Borden pelling voice to listen to, there did not deny that he was the father was no time for Ruth to heed the of my son! He knew-oh, my mute story that the hands were God, how well he knew!" and she telling ... sank back into her chair and press- "Then may I remind you that ed her knuckles to her mouth to when you were in Mr. Hayward's 1 stiffe the sobs that were shaking office on two occasions you went her whole, frail body.

a son, you lived with him for years, doubtedly into this very room?" and yet for months before his "I did not look this way, because | death he would not even speak to I did not realize that by so doing you on the telephone. He left I could see into Mr. Borden's office. orders with his secretary and with My eyes idly followed a number of his manservant that if 'the woman pigeons circling about the window, with the contralto voice' called, but my thoughts were on my son, Mr. Henry P. Borden was 'not in.' and how to provide for him in case 1 How do you account for this, Miss of my death." Manning?"

with tight-clasped hands, fought suggested brutally. a moment for self-control. "I asked something of Mr. Borden which he wert? not-or could not-do. I-demanded that he marry me. father's name."

McMann caught her up.

"He told me that Mrs. Borden would not give him a divorce.

She knew—about my baby, and ledge that insurance was impossible, for my physician had told me that was determined that her own I have pulmonary tuberculosis. It children should never know of was with this knowledge that I aptheir father's-sin. When I in- pealed to Mr. Borden on Christmas 4 sisted, Harry-Mr. Borden-left Eve for help for my son."

with Cleo Gilman. Isn't that more mute message which Martha Man-

like it?" McMann interrupted. chair, but only her great, torment- their owner's knowledge or consent.

Ipitiful appeal that Ruth's own eyes stung with sudden tears.

"And so," McMann on, "you not answer, made an excuse enter that you could observe your intended victim, then, by a lucky

"I ask you again, Miss Manning despicable! You know you have

"I haven't made any charge-"My last-interview with Mr. yet," McMann reminded her grim- dry lips. "I-don't remember the Borden was on Christmas Eve. I'm ly, as he too rose and pushed back exact time." afraid I took rather an unfair ad- his chair. "Come here, Miss vantage of his manservant's care- Manning!" and the detective seiz- ory," the detective suggested, slowlessness--as he has probably told ed one of the woman's wrists and you-and succeeded in speaking drew her by force to the window looking out upon the airshaft. "Ah!" McMann raised his bushy "Look!" and, he pointed to the brows. "And what was the pur- opposite window. "Whose office

> The woman snatched her imprisoned hand from the detective's hold and rubbed her reddened

"Then let me remind you," Me-Mann relorted. "That is the private office of Mr. John C. Hayward, insurance broker, the very agreeable and handsome young man you the last three sentences of this lethas told us that you and Borden, consulted, not so long ago, on the ter"-and he turned over the single in the presence of Jake Bailey, subject of a policy in favour of sheet of orchid stationery. Borden's bodyguard had a row, your son. . . Do you remember

dealy to get control of her tor- hands reached out, hovered over link well and tipped it, so that the You tried to kill your lover then, tured nerves. Almost calmly, the sheet, but did not touch it- fluid ran in a dark tide beneath didn't you?-and didn't quite though Ruth though she mov- dropped instead to the green blot- the pressed-down fingers of the hastily over the blazed with scorn. "May I remind had ebbed away, the woman there, quivering. you that it was I, and not Mr. Bor- walked across the room and took den, who was injured in that en- her sent again. It was not until Mann asked cheerfully. "Then "Merely saving time by taking the detective was also scated that let me repeat them from a very your fingerprints myself, Miss

toward her across the desk, his "I did consult Mr. Hayward solemnity, I warn you that you ed, as he difted her ink-stained collision, eyes narrow to slits-"you've about insurance, but that is not will be sorry if you do not do hand and pressed the fingers upon hated him and planned revenge usually considered a criminal what I ask. I shall te ephone you a sheet of white paper,

"And how did you happen to "No!" The denial rang out pick out that particular insurance

ning answered deffantly.

"One of those days when you were trailing Borden? By the The detective settled back in his way, you were still living with sionately to strike from his mouth. with the layout of this floor, I

tacks, Miss Manning. I'll tell you | "When I went to consult Mr. a few. Tit for tat, Fair ex- no idea that his office was across change. First: you have a son-" the airshaft from diarry's," was he said with awful casualness, the positive, almost calmly spoken slowly drain from Martha Mann- thin, white hands twisting interspots in ghastly relief. "A son no matter low well that beautiful you have tried to force Harry contralto voice could be made to

As Ruth watched those hands "Stop!" Martha Manning half she got an odd, subconscious im-

to his window, which affords a McMann was apparently un- view of the interior of this office moved. He went on relentlessly: and stood there-each time-for ? "You loved this man, you bore him minutes looking toward and un-

"Your natural death-or by way The woman raised her head, and of the electric chair?" McMann ]

The frail body stiffened, but the contralto voice scorned to make that our son might bear his a plea for sympathy: "When I first ] consulted Mr. Hayward about insur-"What do you mean—could not? ance, I knew I was not well, but I considered myself a passable insurance risk. But when I saw him the

There was a brief silence, almost "Because he had fallen in love long enough for Ruth to hear the ning's thin, twisting hands seemed ed brown eyes answered, with such But not quite, for McMann inter-

rupted, demanded the girl's whole attention with his next words:

"I submit, Miss Manning," Mc-Mann began slowly, "that your need became so desperate that you determined to stop at nothing, not even a threat of murder, to force Harry Borden to provide for your son. In't that true?"

"You deny then, Miss Manning that you have ever threatene Harry Borden's life?" "I do! Of course I deny The beautiful voice throbbed wit

McMann smiled, that cynica twisting of the lips which always made Ruth Lester shiver with repulsion. "But you won't deny that Bethlehem Steel ..... 107 you have written to Mr. Borden a Chrysler Corp. (Comnumber of times in the last few

months?" The woman's eyes dilated, then "No, no!" Martha Manning closed for a moment, before she an- Goodrich B. F. (Comscreamed, springing to her feet, swered in a voice so low it was alher eyes blazing, but her face most a whisper: "No. I won't deny -that. Of course I wrote him. spots of rouge. "You're cowardly, could reach him da no other way." "And when did you write your

> McMann persisted. Martha Manning moistened her

> "Then let me refresh your memly drawing a large, orchid-tinted

envelope from his pocket. The woman half started from her chair, seemed about to ask a star- Standard Oil Co. of tled question, then subsided, her gaze fixed in terrible fascination Southern Pacific .... 130 upon the closely written sheet which McMann drew from the en- United States Leather velope and laid before her. "You recognize this letter? You

admit you wrote it?" There was no need for an answer.

and Martha Manning made none. "You will note," McMann pointed out obligingly, "that it was written. Friday afternoon—the day before Henry Borden was-murdered. Now, if you will kindly read aloud

spot ter with which the top of the desk woman. blood was almost entirely covered-lay "How dare you?" Martha Man-

"You won't oblige me?" Mc- her hand. "What are you doing?" good memory: "But Harry, in all Manning!" the detective answer-. Saturday morning. If your an-

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swer is still no-but I won't think of that now!"

That pitiful, quivering hand started to lift itself from the blotter; but with the quickness of a sleight-of-hand artist's the detectives big hand shot out and covered it, flattening it against the green surface of the blotter. One of those betraying, thin With his other he seized a full

ning gasped, struggling to release

(To Be Continued.)

COMEDY COMPANY.

Company whose season at Kowloor has been little short of a record will give a final performance to-To-morrow, the company will transfer their activities for three nights to the Theatre Royal where they will present to-morrow, "The 

performances, and was one of the most talked about plays of 1926. It is a thoroughly amusing piece with a witty dialogue and is among the most popular plays in the company's repertoire.

"The Ringer," Edgar Wallace's brought him to an untimely end. The play had a tremendous suc-London, and even the most hardened critics acclaimed it as ex-

cellent from start to finish. Each of these pieces were played to capacity nudiences at the Star Theatre, and in view of this and the fact that they are being played for the last time in Hongkong, full houses should be the rule during the short season which definitely closes on Friday. Seats may be booked in advance a Moutries.

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a fence, and her leg had to be parti- Issued ..... ally amputated before she could be Paid-Up ......

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ton" machine is a man named Anatol Josepho, of Shanghai, who parted with his patent rights for a very considerable sum. The process is entirely automatic from start to finish. Having seated yourself in a cabinet, you place a token in a slot. In sixteen seconds the machine will take six different photographs, during which time you can move about as freely as you please. Eight minutes later the finished portraits will be delivered to you through a chute at the other end

of the machine. Mr. Gilbert has had a very interesting and varied career. Starting life as a journalist, he was appointed a Sub-Lieutenant in the Royal Naval Division in 1914 and was one of eight brothers. all of whom held comissions throughout the Great War. Since then "he had been a District Inspector of Police in Ireland, where he served during the Sinn American Court at Shanghai by Fein trouble. On the settlement | the Great American Insurance Co., of the Irish border question he co-defendant in the actions was appointed Officer Instructor brought by the Republic of China to the Ulater Division of the against two American insurance Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, companies to recover \$120,000 inand amongst other roles he has surance on the building of the filled have been those of inspector Telephone Administration in Wu-and secretary to various com- chang which was razed to the panies and a theatrical manager. ground by fire. The answer was Recently he has been acting for filed by Mr. J. B. Davies, counsel British Films, appearing in "Q' for the co-defendant. Ships," "The South Sea Bubble," "The Physician," "Chick" "Quinneys" and ""The Constant Nymph."

# LEAGUE TENNIS.

UNIVERSITY BEAT M.B.K. ON

THE POKFULAM GROUND. In a tennis League match in the "B" division the University, playing on the Pokfulam ground, bent the Mitsui Bussan Knisha by six sets to

three, yesterday. Scores were as follow: G. E. Yeoh and G. de Souza (H.K. U.) beat S. Tobchi and N. Hayase 6-2; lost to T. Ema and G. Nakamura 3-6; bent T. Edo and M. Kitajima 7-5. T. K. Lien and F. Y. Khoo (H.K. U.) beat Tobchi and Hayase 6-2; beat Emn and Nakamura 9-7; lost to Edo and Kitajima 3-6.

Y. F. Chew and D. J. N. Anderson (H.K.U.) bent Tohchi and Linyase 6-4; lost to Ema and Nakamura 4-6; beat, Edo and Kitajima 6-4.

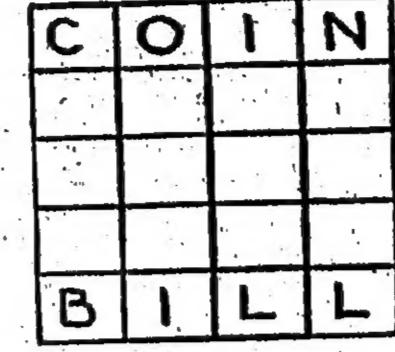
# ONLY INDIGESTION.

CRAGADOUR MAY RUN IN THE DERBY.

London, May 20. An encouraging statement by Mr. Lawson, trainer of Cragadour, says that a veterinary examination shows the colt is suffering from indigestion, and is expected to resume strong work on Wednesday.—Reuter.

# LETTER GOLF.

To-day we start out with one COIN and almost before we know it we have a BILL. It's an easy way to pick up change. Par is



1-The idea of letter golf is to change one word to another and do it in par, a given number of strokes. "Thus to change COW to HEN, in three strokes, COW HOW HEW HEN.

2-You can change only one letter at a time.

word, of common usage, for each jump. Slang words and abbreviations don't count.

4-The order of letters cannot be

One solution is printed on an-

other page.

# INSURANCE CLAIM.

ACTION BY THE GOVERNMENT OF CHINA.

An answer has been filed in the

A motion to set a date for the hearing of the case was heard by Judge Milton D. Purdy, who behalf of the other defendant com- have resulted for Mr. Ford.

knowledge of the matters set forth | can labour. governmental, department of the Aspieres."

# Amount of Loss Denied.

In admitting the issue of the insurance policy on the building of the Telephone Administration and that it was ravaged by fire the answer denies that the extent of the loss including loss of telephone subscriptions, amounted to \$132,476.25.

September, 1926, the Nationalists that it is situated within one of the Repubic of China, or that it | controlled by the Nationalist govhad become the custodian of the vernment.

## INDIAN TENSION.

FURTHER TROUBLE REPORT ED TO BE IMMINENT.

London, May 20.

A Daily Mail report from Calcutta states that the most stringent precautions are being taken to guard the Viceroy, Provincial Governors, high officers and public buildings. It is rumoured that troops are being secretly moved to Northern India.

There have been five outbreaks of fire at the railway workshops in Lahoro during the last three weeks and the Police hold . avidence of the imminence of grave happenings necessitating preparedness .- Reuter.

"Red" Ship Boarded.

Basra, May 20.

A party of Iraq Police boarded the Soviet steamer. Kommunist when she arrived from Odessa, an armed guard being put on board and the crew not allowed to land. The English banks refused to B-You must have a complete negotiate bills for the vessel and it is understood, that this action was taken at the request of the authorities.

> It is reported that the vessel is carrying nearly 700,000 silver rupees destined to be used to stir up further trouble in the Anglo-Persian oilfields at Abadan where rioting, attributed to Communist propaganda, occurred recently. The British sloop H.M.S. Cyclamen and the special service vesse Triad are standing by .- Reuter.

# STRIKE AT FORD WORKS.

FASTER PRODUCTION LEADS TO WAGES DEMAND.

Paris, Apr. 25. The employees of the French Ford factory at Asnieres, near Paris, have struck work in protest against the speeding-up of the chassis assembling process, which is a key factor in mass pro-

They claim that since the rate of decided to put it over until after the assembling chain has been his return from Tientsin to hear quadrupled the production of the cases pending in the American factory has doubled and that it is Court there. Mr. Davies informed therefore only right that the the court that an answer had not workers should enjoy a share in yet been filed by Mr. Franklin on the increased profits which must

The Eurre. recommends Mr. The co-defendant's answer is a Ford to take notice that American negation of most of the allegations | methods of production are not yet set out in the plaintiff's amended | acclimatised to France and that petition filed by Messrs. Rodger the condition of the Paris workers and Char. Paragraph one sets is very different from the state of out that the defendant has no ease and plenty enjoyed by Ameri-

in plaintiff's petition—that the ."If Mr. Ford ignores this fact," plaintiff was and now is an inde- the paper concludes, "there is only pendent sovereign and that the one course open to him, and that Chinese Government Telephone is to import his American workers Administration was and now is a and instal them in the works at

> property of the Telephone Administration by virtue of their

capture of the city. The answer further sets out that the defendant has no knowledge that it is the duty of the de facto Government of the Republic of China to collect, protect and preserve all government pro-The defendant further denies perty including the building of knowing that during the month of the Telephone Administration or were the de facto government, of the areas actually occupied and

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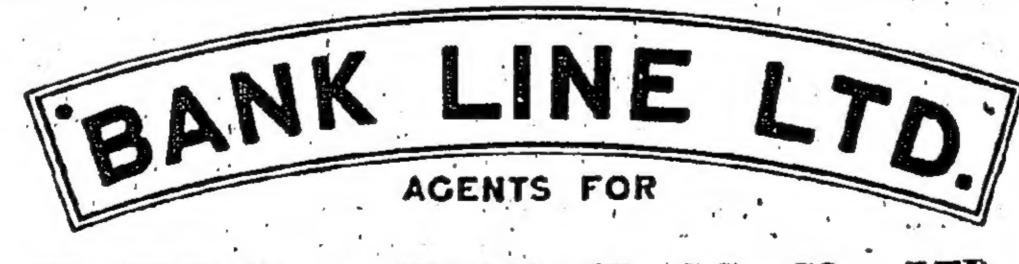
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20th May. Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port "Waldesrauschen,",

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## LETTER GOLF SOLUTION.

Here is the solution to the puzzle on another page. COIN, COIL, BOIL, BOLL,

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From EUROPE and STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo ex s.s. "JUFUKU: MARU"

Singapore into s.s. "Yamagata Maru" arrived here on 18th May, 1929, and rival in Shanghai. are being landed and placed Kowloon Wharf and Godown Com-

Damaged packages must be left prior to stonmer's arrival, but carried presentatives on any Tuesdays and storage Period.

the goods have left the Godowns. No Fire Insurance has been effect

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA Hongkong, 18th May, 1929.

# LOCAL RADIO.

BROADCAST PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

Broadcast by Z.B.W. on 350 metres, 1.48 p.m. Weather Report. 5.80-6.30 p.m. Programme of Chinese Music, (Records supplied through the courtesy of Messrs. The Pleasant

7.48 p.m. Evening Wenther Report. courtesy of Messrs, Anderson Music

Debroy Somers Band "Samson-Let the Bright Sersphim," The Fourth Form at St. Michaels," Comedy Sketch by Will Hay and His

Scholars. "Invitation to the Waltz," (Weber); Felix Weingartner and The Basle Symphony Orchestra.

"Liebestraum," Pianoforte Solo, Evlyn Howard-Jones.

Court Symphony Orchestra. "Sea Wrack."

"Ave 'Maria." Violin Solo, Efrem Zimbalist. 'Archie of the Royal Air. Force,"

The Michaelmas Mystery," Baritone, Raymond Newell.
"Ballet Egyptien," (Luigini).
Organ Solo, Quentin M. MacLean.

"From My Window in Vanity Fair," "The Fisherman," Talking, Billy Bennett. "Madame Butterfly-One Fine Day,"

"Lit Boheme-They Call Me Mimi," "The Two Pigeons," (Messager); Band of the Garde Republicaine

"You Along O' Me," "Sittin' Thinkin'.". Bass, Malcolm McEachern. "L'Estudiantina, Waltz,"

Espana: Walte! Jacques Jacob's Ensemble. 10.30 nm. Close Down.

Wednesday, 12th June.

#### OF CARGO. THEFT

PILFERING COMMON IN SHANGHAL.

When called to testify in the Provisional Court in Shanghai against a shopkeeper charged with receiving property stolen from vessels, Mr. H L. Gibson of the Dollar Co., and Mr. Goods which were transhipped at Amerika Line, stated that there was plifering on almost every ship's ar-

of cloth, silk, bicycle chains and a packet of dye to the total value of \$85 found by the police in the shop of the accused at 20 Yuenfong Road. Goods not cleared by the 25th May, The goods were believed to be the property of the Dollar Co. and the Hamburg-Amerika Line but the two wit-Optional cargo will not be landed in the Godowns for examination by identify them as such.

Mr. Gibson informed the court that on from port to port to the final port Fridays, at 2.80 p.m., within the free cloth of the kind which he was shown, was stolen from nearly every ship of Kinngsi provinces, where lines are will be the Wost Honaker, departing All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any bere, after which date they cannot be recognized.

All claims must be presented withduced a record showing the number from Nanchang, and Shluchowhere, after which date they cannot be recognized.

All claims must be presented withduced a record showing the number from San Francisco September 15,
and the Crown City November 15.

Nanchang.

These are United States Shipping description was sent from Kebe to Board vessels allocated to Messrs. Shanghal and Manila on the com-No claims will be admitted after puny's vessels. He would not say that the cloth in question had been actually stolen from the company's boats but it looked very similar to that pilfered.

> Detective Inspector Schmidt, of Hongkow station, told the court that the bicycle chains and packet of dye were the property of the Hamburg-Amerika Line but Mr. Herteberg, an agent of the company could not definitely state that they were, dye, he stated, was imported from Germany by nearly every steamer arriving in Shanghal. The importers are two German firms here, Veibel and Co. and a concern with offices at 2 Peking Road. He had paid several claims for an identical kind of bicycle chains shipped on their boats.

Judge Haiung, who heard the case with Senior Consul's Deputy Mr. Shimizu remarked that it was clear that the witnesses could not positively identify the goods in court as the 8 n.m. Evening Programme, (Co. property of the shipping firms. Mr. lumbia Records supplied through the King S. Kum, the Assistant Police Advocate, interposed that witnesses were only agents of the shipping firms and pointed out that the accused had told the court that he had bought the cloth a year ago whereas it looked quite new. Besides cloth Soprano, Bella Baillie. of that description was only sold in the market wholesale,

The accused was fined \$80 and the goods were ordered to be kept in the police station for six months pending identification by the shipping firms, If ownership was not established at the expiration of that period, the goods would be confiscated by the

# CRITICALLY ILL.

LORD ROSEBERY IN GRAVE CONDITION.

London, May 20. Lord Rosebery is gravely ill, and his condition is critical.-Reuter, The fifth Earl of Rosebery is 82 years of age, and succeeded to the title in 1868.]

# MEXICAN GENERAL.

RETIRES FROM OFFICE TO TAKE UP FARMING.

Mexico City, May 20. The ex-President, General Calles, has resigned the Ministry of War, and is retiring to the country to in farming.-Reuter's American Service.

# CHINA'S RAILWAYS.

SURVEYS TO BE MADE FOR TWO LINES TO YUNNAN,

Nanking, May 10. Two reconnuissance parties are being sent out by the Ministry of

Two other parties are being sent out by the Ministry to conduct an economic investigation in various provinces through which new railways will run.

Paotao-Ninghsia Railway.

is en route for Yunnan, Kiangsi and Szechuan provinces, through which lines are projected between Canton-Yunnan, Changsha-Yunnan, Liuchow-Chungking, and Paoching-Chinchow.

These two parties are to study the economic functions and revenueearning possibilities of the lines. The investigators have all undergone intensive training at the Ministry for the tasks they have been alloted, and have been given a special course at the Central University here on agricultural economics Mr. Chang Fu-chunn is a mining engineer and geologist and was specially appointed to head. the second party in view of rich mineral products in Yunnan Kuangsi-Szechuan region.

Mr. J. J. Mantell, American railway expert, is in Nanking conferring with Mr. Sun Fo on the task of improving railway, administration for which he was engaged .-

# Shanghai-Nanking Railway

Mr. Tuxford, M. Inst. C. E., has been appointed Acting Engineerin-Chief and General Manager of Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Railway in succession to Mr. A. C.

Mr. Tuxford, who is a native of Lincolnshire, is well-known in Shanghai and in other parts of China, and has had a long railway. experience. He was a pupil on the Great Northern Railway in England, and afterwards served with the Northern Railway.

He joined the Shanghai-Nanking Railway in 1904 on appointment as assistant engineer, and subsequently became district engineer. Since 1914 he has been maint enunce engineer.

# Peking Dismissals.

After working over 30 years with, the Peking-Mukden Railway, Mr. Frank A. Harris, together with four other foreigners, has been relieved of his post of secretary to the railway, says the North China Star. The other four who have been dismissed are Messra R. G. Gibson, resident engineer at Tangku; K. E. Bessell, traffic inspector at Tangshan : Joseph Tait, audit inspector at the head office; and H. Edmund Allen, stores superintendent Tangshan. Mesara Gibson and for over 20 years. Mr. Tait has worked for more than ten, while eignera

# PACIFIC TO AFRICA.

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The first regular sailing involving a return voyage of the South African Dispatch Line, operated by Messrs. J. Railways—one for the proposed will be by the motorship West Cus-Yunnan-Changsha line headed by seta, departing from San Francisco on Chou Liang-ching, and the other August 1. Ports of call will be Cape for the proposed Yunnan-Canton Town, East London, Durban, Lourence line beaded by Li Yao-ching. Mr. Marques, and other calls, as induce-The charge arose out of a quantity Chou is a technical expert of the ments offer. The yessel will lead at Ministry and has been with the British Columbia, Puget Sound, and San Francisco; also at Portland and Los Angeles harbour, if inducements

Although the line has been in existence for more than 15 years, this will be the first time the vessels are scheduled to go directly back to San The first party consisting of four Francisco. It also marks the inaugutechnical experts headed by J. H. ration of the line as an American-flag Ling is covering Fukien, Hunan and service. Following the West Cusseta The second party of technical Moore and Co. under a bare-boat the Khedivial Mail S.S. Co. exports headed by Chang Fu-chuan charter agreement, with the stipulation that the line may be maintained for five years, at the end of which time it will be offered for sale by the Shipping Board on competitive bids.

On the return voyage there are three tentative routings, namely, via the Orient, Australia, or a turnaround and back via Magellan, which is the outgoing route. Ultimate adoption of a fixed homeward routo will be determined by the character of cargo picked up in South Africa, as well as possible offerings in the Orient and Australia.

From South Africa such products as chrome ore, manganese ore, Kenya coffee, wattle bark (used for tanning), and other native products will be carried. Outgoing, the vessels will load from the Pacific Coast canned goods, the grain, case oil, tractors, roofing material, Douglas fir, white pine, filters, washing machines, and other machin-

Regarding the homeward voyage it is pointed out that if full cargoes of Zealand, Vancouver, San Francisco, etc., such products as chrome or manganese ore are carried the vessels will double back on their out-bound routing. This is entirely possible because of the development of the steel industry on the Pacific Coast. Similarly, offerings of seasonal products, such as wheat from Australia, may cause the company to route its vessels homeward via the Antipodes.

# CANADA AND JAPAN.

LEGATION TO BE OPENED AT TOKYO NEXT WEEK.

Tokyo, May 20. Although Mr. Marler, Canada's first Minister to Japan, is not expected until October, Mr. Hugh Keenleyside has arrived to take up the post of First Secretary to the Legation, which is to be opened next week .- Reuter.

Mr. Allen was on a three-year contract. The five were given a month's notice and informed that their services were no longer required. The dismissal of foreigners from the Poking-Mukden Railway started about three or four years ago and since then about five have been relieved of their posts every TO TSINGTAU via SWATOW year. There are now about a dozen foreigners left, compared with 50 before. The cause of the action is that the railway authorities had Bessell have been with the railway decided gradually to put returned TO OSAKA via ANOY, MOJI students in the jobs held by for-

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| DELTA                  | 8,097<br>5,318   | 8th June. Mar<br>15th June. Mar        | seilles, L'don & Hull<br>rseilles, London, A'werp.                      |
| RAJPUTANA<br>PERIM     | 16,568<br>7,648  | 22nd June.   Bor<br>  29th June.   Mai | tterdam & Hamburg<br>nbay, M'los & L'don<br>seilles, London, A'werp,    |
| KASHGAR<br>† MIRZAPORE | 9,005<br>  6,715 | 6th July. Mar                          | tordam & Hamburg<br>soilles, London & Hull<br>its, Colombo & B'bay      |

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# SEAPLANE MISHAP.

DUTCH MACHINE BURNED IN BATAVIA.

and one European was elightly injured .- Reuter. This was one of the semplenes

Batavin; May 20. which recently reached Java from The D23, one of the Dutch sea- Holland. On the way out another planes which arrived from Holland, muchine had a mishap on the Tigris, totally destroyed when it the pilot being killed.]

caught fire owing to a short circuit

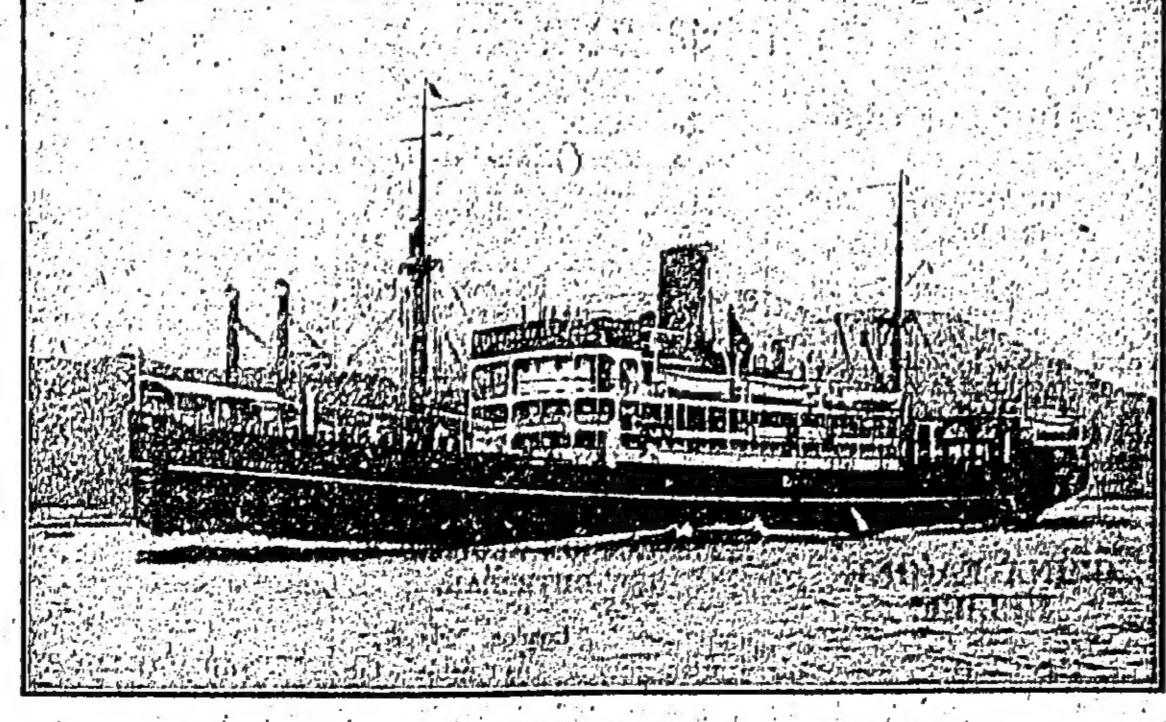
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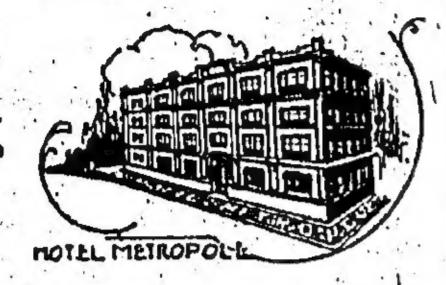
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The endeavours of all naval arduction of the ship's resistance. summarized by stating that the was consequently far less than in from the Davis Cup.-Reuter. surface washed by the water is less the case of a normal ship. also easily understand that this would have been in the case of a reduces the surface friction and normal ship.

first of them to be completed were satisfactory in any way.

deep sea steam trawlers which be- the ceiling. haved splendidly on their maiden voyages. Grave doubts had been expressed regarding the way in which the new ship's design would answer the helm but this has proved to be really remarkable. The ship answers the helm at all speeds equally chitects have as their object the re- well in a calm or a rough sea and irrespective of the angle to the The problem came particularly to sea at which the ship is steaming. the fore in recent times in connex- The steadiness of the course was exthe highest possible speed with the ing movements of the ship remain- Slovakia in the next round, least possible expenditure of engine ed gentle and agrecable throughout. power. The essential point may be The loss of speed due to the waves contest, Cuba eliminated Mexico

than in the case of a normal ship. On her maiden voyage the steam-The stream lines of the water along e. 'Weissenfels' had to contend the body of the ship are also short- with a strong 7-9 north west wind ened in comparison with "normal and on this occasion the loss of construction. The layman will speed was only half of what it

consequently the ship's resistance. The Maier ship design has thus This Maier design has already fulfilled all expectations on its first been adopted in the case of a large adoption in practice and it may number of ships up to 12,000 tons be hoped with assurance that the under construction in Bremen. The large ships which follow will be

# ALTERATIONS AT GOVT. HOUSE.

ACCOMMODATION WILL BE MUCH IMPROVED.

# NEW CONCRETE ROOF.

Extensive repairs and alterations are being carried out to the ballroom and other rooms in the east wing of Government House which, when completed, will provide much improved accommodation for public receptions.

It was the original intention to extend the ballroom eastward, taking in the original verandah there. The alterations necessitated the reit was discovered that white ants candidates in the field, a figure had wrought so much havor to the woodwork that it was decided to construct an entirely new roof. This with a stairway leading to it which a recording a stairway will enable visitors to sit out and enjoy the fresh air.

The plan now is to extend the in the whole of the verandah, which will provide a much larger floor space for dancing. Improvementa involved on the west side include the demolition of His Excellency the Governor's private office and the provision of a crush hall at the top of the stairs. On the east side, a new projection will be made, where the dais will be constructed. Instead of the one entrance, several new entrances will be made thus facilitating movement to and from the ballroom.

will be on the ground floor to the left of the stairway leading to the ballroom and immediately below his former room.

The repairs are much more extensive than were at first planned, on account of the ravages of white are Captain the Rt. Hon. E. A. ants. It is nearly forty years since Fitzroy, the Speaker, and the Conthe east wing was constructed and servative Member for Daventry; the when the alterations have been Rt. Hon. T. P. O'Connor, the Nacompleted, the accommodation, tionalist Member for the Scotland whilst perhaps still not quite ade- Division quate for some of the bigger func- "Father" of the House of Com-

much larger scale than hitherto is dington; and Colonel T. Sinclair, also being provided. His Excellency the Governor re- fast University.

grets to announce that owing to the repairs it will not be possible to hold the usual reception at Government llouse on the occasion of His Maesty's birthday next month. His Excellency hopes, however, to hold a reception later in the year when reconstruction work at Government House has been completed.

#### HENRY POLLOCK ROBBED.

# BURGLAR WHO "FISHED" FOR TABLE FAN.

evidently exhibited great inge- something new in the way of to cut the Tientsin-Pukow Railnuity. His identity is not known, holiday excitement. but investigations are being made . by the police.

Investigations so far made show that while the offices were closed during the holldays, the thief gained access to the room above Sir Henry Pollock's chambers, and, after removing a couple of the flooring boards, became the "complete angler." With a hock on a piece of string, he fished for anything that would "bite" on Sir Henry's table. His only "bite" apparently was a table fan, valued

The thief was apparently very dissatisfied with his catch, leaving behind the "fishing" apparatus for which he would seem to have no further use.

The loss of the fan was discovered by Sir Henry's office boy, who was at a loss to understand the nature of the burglary until he noticed the missing boards in

# DAVIS CUP CONTESTS.

#### DENMARK QUALIFY FOR THIRD ROUND.

. Copenhagen, May 20. ion with the latest ships. It is a cellent. With a 5-6 wind the head Cup Competition, Denmark to-day Reuter. question of constructing the new seas were sprayed off the hows like defeated Greece by four matches ships in such a way as to obtain a vell and thrown aside. The pitch- to one, and qualified to meet Czecho-

At Havana, in the American Zone

# CHINA FAMINE RELIEF:

J.S. RED CROSS COMMITTEE INVESTIGATION.

Washington, May 20. A special committee appointed by the American Red Cross Society. is sailing from Vancouver on May sulting from the famine in China. newsl of civil war on a wide scale morrow is:—South winds, moder-

# BRITISH ELECTION NOMINATIONS.

CONTEST AMONG 1,717 FOR 608 SEATS.

HUGE SCALE CHALLENGE BY LABOUR PARTY .

# PREMIER'S BULLDOG.

London, May 20. Nominations for the General Election closed to-day, the final reburns from the constituencies revealing that there are 1,724 which sets a new record for British parliamentary elections.

Probably the number of unwill be of concrete and will be flat, opposed candidates, seven, is also

The figures mean that 1,717 candidated will contest 608 seats, ballroom on the south side, taking and therefore that three-cornered

# Labour's Challenge.

The party strengths in the ominations are as follows: Conservatives: .... 588 Labour: ........ 570 Liberal: ..... 510 'Communists: ..... 25 Others ...... 31

Fewer women have been selected than was earlier expected. The His Excellency's private office total for all parties is 68, of which number the Conservatives have chosen only a small proportion.

## Unopposed Members.

Among the unopposed candidates Liverpool tions, will be very much improved. | mons); Commodore H. D. King, Lavatory accommodation on a the Conservaive Member for Padthe Conservative Member for Bel-

> Mr. D'Connor, Commodore King, and Colonel Sinclair were unopposed at the 1924 election.

## Majority of One.

The Government has at present majority of one in the new House of Commons. This is the result of the complete list of seven unopposed returns, consisting of four Conservatives and three Irish Nationalists. In the General Election of 1924, there were thirty-two unopposed nominations, - out of sham will have charge of the 1,428 candidates for the 615 seats.

# Whitsun Holiday Speech.

visible audience in a theatre, from alignments. which, a network of wires extended across the promenade and linked up with dozens of loud speaker, on the sands.

The beaches were packed with care-free listeners; and Mr. Baldwin took the opportunity of referring to the greatly improved relations between employers and workers since the War.

# Gift to Premier.

would become much closer, and that unemployment was beginning to fall. . Even the most depressed industries in Great Britain were showing signs of improvement, and the prospects of the country regaining her pre-war prosperity were brighening.

after his address, which reached bride's mother, and Karrine, her thousands of cotton mill operatives 11-year-old sister, will return who had gone to Blackpool for home to-day.
the day, a woman, presented him Yesterday with a fine bull-dog, which In the second round of the Davis took to its new master kindly .-

# BRITISH VIEWS ON CHINA WAR.

APPREHENSION AROUSED BY NEW OUTBREAK.

London, May 21. In an editorial this morning, the Times says that disappointment will be general in Britain and whorever

Republican China had emerged action may be, the prospect of a re- and Yap. The forecast till noon tomust arouse apprehension Reuter. Inte: fair to showery.

# NULLAH WATER FOR FLUSHING.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT BY THE GOVERNMENT.

# POSITION EXPLAINED

In reference to enquiries made regarding the utilisation of nullah water for flushing purposes, we are officially informed that the Sanitary Board does not recommend to Government for approval the installation of W. C'si unless applicants can prove to the satisfac-tion of the Board that an independent and adequate water supply is obtainable. In the City of Victoria and in Kowloon, the water for these purposes is obtained from wells and is pumped to tanks placed on the roof of the building concerned.

The Colony's water supply is not allowed to be used for flushing purposes. Only a few isolated exceptions to this rule have been pernitted in cases of hospitals and public buildings; also those on the Peak-supply where it is not possible to obtain water by any other means; for which an additional charge is

Houses on the intermediate levels where the flush system is installed obtain their supply from

On the northern side of the island of Hongkong there are 54 nullahs from which water is obtained, through some 150 intake connexions, to supply houses or blocks of houses where W. C. installations exist, and in some cases the water is utilised for swimming pools, returning again into the nullah to be later used for

flushing purposes. On the southern side of the island, there are 64 nullahs with intake connexions utilised for simi-

The gaugings of these nullahs are carefully taken before additional intakes are permitted, as in time of drought their capacity is severely.

Water for the usual cleansing of Chinese tenement houses is obtained from a well at the Western Market except in the Eastern District where not more than 2,500 gallon a week

Sea-water and water from nullahs is used for side-channel flushing and none is drawn from the mains for this purpose.

# FENG YU-HSIANG'S FIRST BLOW.

(Continued from Page 1.).

compaign on the Eastern Front, and General Shek Yaucampaign on the Northern Front.

While political headquarters in Tunkwan will be the Kuomin-London were carefully examining chun military headquarters and the list of candidates from all Feng Yu-haiang will return there The Hon. Sir Henry Pollock has over the country, the Prime Minis- after an inspection of the Loyang lost a table fan over the holidays. ter, Mr. Stanley Baldwin was at troops. It is believed that Feng It was stolen from his chambers Blackpool, where the famous Lanca- will launch his first attack in the in Princes Building, and the thief shire holiday-resort was offered direction of Shantung, in an effort

When fighting on a large scale will break out no-one seems very A hundred thousand Whitsuntide certain. It is probable that Feng excursionists' were greeted by a is waiting for Chiang to make the wireless election speech by the first move, while Chiang is wait-Premier, who spoke to a crowded ing to .. test the strength of his

# ELOPED COUPLE TO MARRY AGAIN.

SECOND CEREMONY IN ENGLAND.

源 : 古可以權 London, Apr. 25. It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Hector Mappin, the Campresent methods of co-or ration bridge undergraudate and his girl Green, will go through another

AT THE

marriage ceremony in England. Yesterday was spent in family consultation at Windermere between the bridal couple and their mothers, who had arrived there

the previous night. It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Whene Mr. Baldwin sat down Mappin, with Mrs. Ridsdel, the

Yesterday the advice was sought of the Rev. Euston Nurse, the rector of Windermere, and the legal adviser to the Archbishop of Canterbury will probably be consulted in London on the effect of the Gretna Green marriage.

Mr. Hector Mappin and his father are also to discuss with the Cambridge University authorities the bridegroom-undergraduate's changed position.

FAIR TO SHOWERY.

The Observatory reports that else it was hoped and believed that pressure is highest to the cast of AT THE North Japan and relatively low over from the confusions of civil war. | China generaly. A depression is However justifiable Nanking's indicated Dtween the Pelew Islands

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